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Rajaji's Challenge To Parliament

Issue Of Neill Statue Removal

Matter Entirely Within Governor's Province, Says 'C. R.'

VIZAGAPATAM Dec. 3.

"I contend that it was a breach of convention to permit such questions as those relating to the Neill Statute in the Parliament" declared Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, the Premier of Madras, in an interview to the Associated Press.

AGAINST PROVINCIAL AUTONOMY

Mr. Rajagopalachari emphasised the question relating to the removal of the statue was entirely within the province of the Government of Madras and in accordance with the statement made in Parliament at the time the Congress took up office, the question should not have been allowed in Parliament.

LANDMARK IN HISTORY

Mr Rajagopalachari thought the questions in Parliament revealed a misunderstanding of the attitude of the Madras Government. Mr. Rajagopalachari said that the agitation among a certain section of the people in England reflected in Parliamentary interpellations that had been cabled about the Neill's Statue was based on a misunderstanding of the Madras Government's attitude with regard to these matters. This misunderstanding, he said, was natural to those who cannot realise that non-violent nationalism is different from the national hatred, with which they are too familiar. to them, it is an impossibility and a contradiction for a man who does not want the statue on Mount Road, because it hurts the sentiment of the people and at the same time would look upon this statue without ill will and regard it as a landmark in history to be preserved with care and even with respect.

NO QUESTION OF HATRED

"It is necessary to understand Gandhiji and the philosophy of non-violence," continued Mr. Rajagopalachari, in order to see no contradiction in the attitude of the Madras Government, when they did not want it as continuing a source of irritation, but claim to hold it and intend to preserve it with care.

"As soon as 'Reuter' cabled that some persons desired to have this statue sent to London, if Madras did not want it, there were some impatient men and women here too, who immediately suggested we should comply and get rid of this statue altogether from our shores, but I explained to them how I refused to agree to the suggestion that it be given away to the local European Club, who offered to keep it. I told them it will be contrary to our true attitude in the matter and allow it to become a constant reminder and nourisher of racial hostility and the same objection would apply to any transfer of the statue from Madras either to London or to New Delhi

"It was our duty to train our people to take the view and have a perspective, which was appropriate to things historic. When I explained this, these gentlemen saw at once objection to give the statue away as a thing we did not want, and agreed with me that the statue which belonged to us, should be preserved in Madras. we have become even more than ever before responsible for its keeping and cannot agree to the statue being sent away to anywhere because it would then become a permanent focus of misrepresentation of our attitude in the matter."

Asked what he thought of the question about the Governor's powers of interference, Mr. Rajagopalachari replied: "Why should the Governor interfere? I don't think even the Madras European Association will associate itself with that kind of agitation. The keeping or the transfer of a statue in the possession of the Government of the Madras from one place to another for any purpose, which they consider it to be reasonable is not a matter, which will cause a disturbance of public tranquility or mutiny or otherwise attract the special responsibilities of the Governor.

"In accordance with the statement made on behalf of the British Government in Parliament at the time of the Congress took up office as to the admissibility of interpellations in Parliament about Provincial affairs the question about the statue should not have been allowed to be put or answered in Parliament, being a matter entirely within the province of the Government of Madras. I contend it was a breach of convention to permit such questions and disturb the working of Provincial Autonomy."—A. P.

BLOWS EXCHANGED AT POONA MEETING

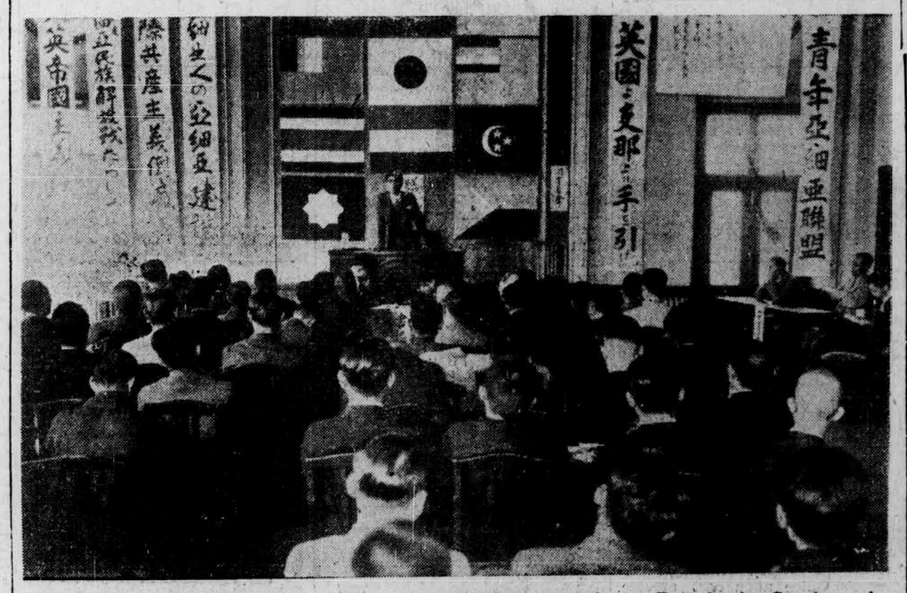
POONA, Dec. 3.

Two rival groups of students clashed this evening at the first meeting of the Reception Committee, Bombay Presidency Students' Conference, and the meeting had to be given up as some came to blows.

IT IS STATED THAT A GROUP, DESCRIBED AS OPPOSITIONISTS, PRESENT AT THE MEETING REFUSED TO OBEY THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE RECEPTION COMMITTEE AND DECLINED TO ACCEPT THE DECISION THAT THEY WERE NOT ENTITLED TO VOTE.

HEATED ARGUMENTS ENSUED AND LATER THEY CAME TO BLOWS RESULTING IN MR. K. R. PURANIK, THE GENERAL SECRETARY, DISSOLVING THE MEETING, WHICH BROKE UP IN UTTER CONFUSION.—A. P.

"BRITAIN, HANDS OFF CHINA"



A view of the Young Asia League demonstrating against Britain in Session in the Sankaido Building, Tameika. Behind the Speaker are hung the flags of various nations represented at the gathering. The Indian National Flag can be seen just above the speaker.

MAHATMA IMPROVING

But Civil Surgeon Advises No Shifting At Present

WARDHA, Dec. 3.

Dr. Narbada Prasad, Civil Surgeon examined Mahatmaji this morning and found the blood pressure 165 systolic, 103 disytolic, showing that it gradually reaching normal. It rises early in the morning but there is no cause for anxiety. A fortnight's complete rest has helped the improvement. Excellent weather conditions here are expected to give further relief.

Doctor Narbada Prasad does not favour shifting Gandhiji to a seaside resort at present. Mahatmaji is also unwilling to leave Shegaon now. The general improvement in his condition is satisfactory.

Seth Jamnalal Bajaj spent yesterday and to-day at Shegaon with Gandhiji.—A.P.

CIVIC ADDRESS TO MAHATMA

Karachi Corporation's Decision

KARACHI, December 3.

The Karachi Municipal Corporation at its special meeting this evening decided to present an address to Gandhiji, when he visits Karachi during the Christmas, if health permits, to attend the All-India Gujarati Literary Conference to be held under the presidency of the Hon. Mr. K. M. Munshi, Minister to the Government of Bombay.

The Corporation decided last week to present an address to Mr. Munshi.—United Press.

Mahadeo Desai's Request To Visitors And Correspondents

WARDHAGANJ, Dec. 3.

Mr. Mahadev Desai wires:

"Though public are fully cooperating with doctors in giving Gandhiji complete rest, some people do happen to go to Shegaon with a view to interviewing Gandhiji.

I must request such friends to write to Seth Jamnalalji and await his reply before proceeding to Wardha.

I would request correspondents to note that most of the correspondence is withheld from Gandhiji and principally dealt with by me".—A.P.

Lothian's Broadcast On India

Where Everything Is Extraordinarily Peaceful And Pleasant

BOMBAY, December 3.

"India is extraordinarily peaceful compared with the countries of Europe. It seems to me that whereas there are no bombing 'planes in Bombay, there is no city in Europe which has not some 500 bombing 'planes within a hundred miles of it and so, I am very glad indeed to be in India where everything is so peaceful and pleasant", declared Lord Lothian in a broadcast speech from the All-India Radio, Bombay, to-night.

Lord Lothian said that he was very anxious to find how conditions were in India now that the new Constitution had come into being.

Asked if he hoped to see Mahatma Gandhi and other leaders, he replied in the affirmative and hoped that Mahatma Gandhi would very soon be restored to perfect health.

Questioned regarding his movements in India, he said that he was going to Delhi next, after which his plans were uncertain.—A.P.

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STOP PRESS

Japanese Press Tactics

PEKING, Dec. 3.

A Japanese newspaper here splashes an urgent appeal to the Chinese and the foreign citizens to ask for peace and urges everyone to shower urgent advice on the Chinese Government, now at Chungking to make peace and gives an assurance that if telegrams to this effect are handed in, they will reach the destination.—Reuter.

SHANGHAI. Dec. 3.

The man, who threw the bomb during the victory march was shot and wounded.—Reuter.

ONE LAKH KISANS MEET

Darbhanga Conference Opens Amid Enthusiastic Scenes

LAHERISARAI, Dec. 3.

It is the peasants' day in Laherisarai to-day and the town is humming with all kinds of Kisan slogans.

Swami Sahajanand Saraswati, President of the Bihar Provincial Kisan Sabha, accompanied by Mr. Awadesh Prasad Sinha, Secretary, Mr. B. P. Sinha, Socialist Leader, has arrived at Laherisarai in connection with the Darbhanga District Kisan Conference to be held this afternoon at 2 and to-morrow

HUGE GATHERING

Two hundred uniform peasant volunteers and a thousand Kisans greeted Swami Sahajanand. A procession was taken out with elephants and decorated cars. The National Flag and a Red Flag were hoisted in the King's Park, where the Conference is being held. A gathering of one lakh of Kisans is expected.

Acharya Narendra Dev, president-elect of the Conference being laid up with asthmatic attack, Swami Sahajanand will preside over the Conference.

ON AGENDA

The Subjects Committee of the Conference will meet to-night, when problems connected with Tenancy Legislation, price of sugar-cane and repression of peasantry and despatch of military to rural areas, will be discussed.—United Press.

POONA WELCOMES TENNYSON'S TEAM

A Two-Day Fixture Against Maharashtrians

POONA, December 3.

A large number of Cricket enthusiasts were present at the station to greet Lord Tennyson's team which is playing here to-morrow, and Sunday against the Maharashtrians.

Among those present were: Dewan Bahadur Shethe, Prof. D. B. Deodhar and Mr. N. B. Barve.

Lord Tennyson and Hardstaff have not arrived. Gover and Wellard are not playing to-morrow.—A.P.

Kowloo-Canton Railway Bombed

Sheklung Station Destroyed

400 CHINESE LEADERS LEAVE FOR HONG-KONG

CANTON, Dec. 3.

Japanese 'planes actively bombed the Kowloo-Canton Railway and destroyed the station Sheklung and inflicted a number of casualties.

One 'plane is reported to have been shot down—Reuter.

TOKIO, December 3.

The Domei Agency states that 400 Chinese political and military leaders left for Hongkong. It adds, official circles declare, if Hongkong is used as the base for Anti-Japanese operations, a fresh question might arise.—Reuter.

JAPANESE OFFICER APOLOGISES TO U. S.

LONDON, December 3.

Learning Japanese are erecting barbed wire barricades near the Settlement Racecourse, Colonel Price, Commander of the U. S. Marines, informed them that they were encroaching on the American Defence Sector and suggested their immediate withdrawal.

The Japanese Officer-in-Charge apologised and ordered his men to remove the barricades.—Reuter's Special.

MUSSOLINI'S ADVICE TO CHINA

LONDON, December 3

With reference to the article in "North China Daily News" yesterday the advice to China to sue for peace was given in an unsigned article in "Popolo d'Italia", believed to be written by Signor Mussolini.

He says that if China is trusting to collective assistance, she has vowed herself to suicide and clearly Japan can compel China to surrender.

Now that collective security has again failed, China should ask for peace, which may be less hard than she may think.—Reuter's Special.

JAPANESE BESIEGE POLICE STATION

The bombing incident occurred opposite a huge Department Store where hundreds were killed and wounded by an unknown projectile in September. The Japanese are retaining a company of soldiers on the scene and Japanese Officers and Embassy officials are inquiring.

Scores of infuriated Japanese civilians besieged the police station demanding the name of the man responsible for the flag incident. The police fearing that the man might be lynched had removed him by the back door of the shop where he was first detained. All the Chinese shops on the route were shuttered.

Eight Japanese bombers circled over the city while Japanese had trained anti-aircraft guns to the sky from lorries in case Chinese planes appeared

The procession was preceded by a Scottish Police Sergeant and six beturbanned Sikhs. The Sikhs were all mounted. The Sergeant told the Sikhs that they were not escorts but were on the traffic duty "A patriotic suicide" was staged by a Chinese who jumped from the roof of a building in full view of the parade and fell on telephone wires and rebounded to the pavement.—Reuter.

CRICKET CLUB OF INDIA & HINDU GYMKHANA

BOMBAY. December 3.

The Associated Press understands that last minute efforts to effect a compromise between the Cricket Club of India and the Hindu Gymkhana have resulted in a substantial improvement of the stalemate created by the recent decision of the Hindu Gymkhana not to participate in the Pentangular Cricket Tournament if it is played in the Brabourne Stadium.

Mr. A. S. De'Mello, Honorary Secretary of the Cricket Club of India saw Mr. Tairsee, President of the Hindu Gymkhana this evening and discussed with him the position created by the decision of the Hindu Gymkhana. As a result of this discussion, Mr. Tairsee is understood to have convinced Mr. De'Mello of the difficult position of the Hindu Gymkhana if all Gymkhanas were given equal seating accommodation in the Stadium. As an alternative to the proposed allocation of seating accommodation (2,000 seats for all the four Gymkhanas), Mr. Tairsee is understood to have suggested that all the Gymkhanas and the Bombay Cricket Associations should forego all seats and the Cricket Club of India itself should manage all the seats allotting them to the various Gymkhanas in accordance with their requirements on payments made by them.

In other words, the respective Gymkhanas should only select their own teams and should leave the entire management of the Pentangular Tournament including the financial implication in the hands of the Cricket Club of India who will be responsible for the loss or profit.

Mr. De'Mello is said to have welcomed this decision and a meeting of the representatives of the various Gymkhanas and Cricket Associations is being called for to-morrow evening to finally settle the question.

According to the present plan, it appears probable that a compromise on the lines suggested by Mr. Tairsee may be effected.—A.P.

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Experienced Retoucher and Finisher for Art Studio. Apply personally Eastern Art Studio Nawab Mansion, Gunbow Street, Fort, Bombay. (9457)

Wanted teacher Hindi Primary School, Vile Parle, from January. Three months probation on Rs. 20 monthly. Confirmation Rs. 25. Free quarters water to single. Apply own Hindi handwriting on printed form before 15th December to Secretary, Vile Parle Northern Indian Residents Association. For form send annas two stamps. (9474)

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NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS ARE INVITED for the supply of about 1,000 tons of Steam Coal to this Municipality, during the year 1938-39.

The tenders should be sent on a prescribed form. General directions to tenderers, tender form and form of agreement shall be available from the Municipal Engineer's Office at a cost of Re. one, which shall be paid in advance and is non-refundable.

The tenders should reach the undersigned on or before 25th January, 1938, 5 p.m.

(Sd.) V. K. BHEDASGAONKAR,
Chief Officer,
Nasik Municipality.
Municipal Office,
1st December, 1937. (7402)

BOMBAY-SIND PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

No. S. 1.—Applications invited for a post of Senior Assistant in the Office of the Commission on Rs. 180-10-200-15-260 from persons who have Secretariat or other administrative experience of not less than 5 years. Those possessing a degree (preferably honours) in Arts, Science, Law or Commerce of a recognised Indian or British University or the Cambridge School Certificate Examination (Certificate A) with not less than 50 per cent. marks in English will be preferred. The appointment will be officiating in the first instance and the pay liable to be revised. *Any attempt, direct or indirect, to influence the Secretary or a Member of the Commission will disqualify the candidate.* For full particulars and the form of application to be submitted, so as to reach the Commission's office not later than the 6th December 1937, see Part 1 of the *Bombay Government Gazette* dated the 18th November 1937.

7243.

IN THE MATTER OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT, 1913.
and
IN THE MATTER OF THE DEWARKHAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above-named Company, held at Esplanade House, Waudby Road, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of November, 1937 the following Special Resolution was duly passed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. H. S. Captain and Mr. F. P. Antia be appointed Liquidators on a remuneration of Rs. 1,500 each for the purposes of such winding up with authority to each Liquidator to exercise all the powers of the Liquidators."

Dated the 18th day of November, 1937.

H. S. CAPTAIN,
F. P. ANTIA,
Liquidators.
The Dewarkhand Cement Company Limited.
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Esplanade House.
Waudby Road, Fort.
Bombay. 7242.

Public Notices

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA. RAILWAY DEPARTMENT. (Railway Board.)

NOTICE.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF COAL TO THE STATE MANAGED RAILWAYS AND TO THE ASSAM BENGAL, BENGAL NAGPUR, BENGAL & NORTH WESTERN, JODHPUR, MADRAS & SOUTHERN MAHRATTA, ROHILKHUND AND KUMAYUN AND SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAYS DURING THE YEAR 1938-39.

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the supply of the following quantities of coal for the above Railways during the period 1st April 1938 to 31st March, 1939:—

	Tons.
1. Steam coal, by Rail	27,57,000
2. Coke Breeze	3,900
3. Soft Coke for workshop purposes	7,300
4. Hard Coke	4,100
5. Screened Rubble (for Power House)	9,500

Forms of Tender, Specifications and Instructions to Tenderers may be obtained from the Office of the Chief Mining Engineer, Railway Board, No. 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, on payment of Re. 1/- for each set.

The successful Tenderers will be required to execute an Agreement (paying the Stamp Duty thereon) on a form provided by the Company-managed Railways mentioned above if so desired.

The Agents of the Company-Managed Railways do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason for non-acceptance of tenders; they reserve the right to accept any tender wholly or in part.

Tenders should be deposited in the Tender Box kept in the office of the Chief Mining Engineer, Railway Board, before 11-00 A.M. (Calcutta time) on Tuesday the 14th December 1937 and they will be opened at 11-15 A.M. in the presence of tenderers on the same day.

J. R. HARRISON,
Chief Mining Engineer,
Railway Board.
Calcutta,
Dated the 19th November, 1937.

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ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

BOYS of the age of 15 to 17 who have passed Matriculation or similar standard are required for enrolment in the Royal Indian Navy for the Communications Branch.

Applications should be forwarded to:—
THE SQUADRON
SIGNAL OFFICER,
Navy Office,
Bombay.

and must be received prior to January 1st 1938. Boys should forward with their applications (which must be IN THEIR OWN HANDWRITING) (a) a certificate of character and ability from their Headmaster, (b) the written consent of their parents to their enrolment for 12 years' active and 10 years' reserve, service, (c) a medical certificate of fitness from a qualified Medical practitioner.

Boys will be required to enrol for 12 years' continuous service and 10 years in the reserve and will receive Pay at Rs. 15/- per month for the first two years. Thereafter pay advances progressively up to a maximum of Rs. 100/- after about 15 years service subject to qualifying professionally for each advancement. Men selected to be Warrant Officers can reach Rs. 180/-.

Boys receive free clothing, accommodation and rations and after the initial two years training are eligible for 2 months' leave on full pay per annum.

Boys will be required to undergo a medical and educational examination before entry, and if selected for interview will be given a free rail pass to Bombay where they will be required to undergo a qualifying examination. If successful they will be required to commence training immediately. If rejected they will be given a free rail pass to the nearest rail station to their homes.

Vacancies exist for Muslims, Christians and Anglo-Indians only at present.

C. J. NICOLL,
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H. M. I. Dockyard,
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R. RAMASWAMI,
Secretary,
The Indian Stock Exchange Ltd.,
43, Esplanade Road, Fort,
Bombay.
Bombay, December 3, 1937.
Telephone No. 31615.

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THE BRITISH EMPIRE LEPROSY RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

INDIAN COUNCIL.
Bombay Presidency Branch.

LEPROSY INSTRUCTION COURSE.

A SPECIAL LEPROSY INSTRUCTION COURSE, is to be held at Bombay under the auspices of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, Indian Council, Bombay Presidency Branch in January 1938. It is open to Medical practitioners practising in the Bombay Presidency. Applications for enrolment should be submitted to the Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, before the 15th December, 1937.

J. E. SPENCER,
Honorary Secretary & Treasurer.
Faiz Villa, Wodehouse Road,
Colaba, Bombay. (7320)

MADRAS & SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY CO.
(Incorporated in England.)

NOTICE.

TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF COAL DURING 1938-39.

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the supply of the following Steam Coal to the Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway, during the 12 months ending 31st March, 1939:—

Coal to be delivered by sea at Mormugao into wagons to be provided by the Railway... ... Up to 15,000 tons.

2. The coal must be either of Selected Grade or Grade 1, either hand-picked or screened and be free from shale or other deleterious matter. It must be fresh coal. "Weathered" coal will not be accepted.

3. Forms of Tender, Specifications and Instructions to Tenderer may be obtained from the Office of the Chief Mining Engineer, Railway Board, No. 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, on payment of Re. 1/- for each set

4. No Tender will be considered unless it is submitted in the prescribed Form.

5. The Tenders which may be submitted for the whole or for any portion of the quantity noted above should be addressed in sealed covers to the "Agent, Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway, c/o the Chief Mining Engineer, Railway Board, Calcutta" superscribed "Tenders for the supply of Coal." The Tenders should be lodged in the Tender Box kept in the Office of the Chief Mining Engineer, Railway Board, before 11-00 A.M. (Calcutta Time) on Tuesday the 14th December 1937.

6. The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender or to assign any reason for non-acceptance; he further reserves the right to accept any Tender wholly or in part at his option.

Calcutta, Dated the 19th November, 1937.

7286.

NOTICE.

BACK BAY RECLAMATION.

THE COLLECTOR OF BOMBAY hereby invites sealed tenders on approved forms for a 99 years' lease in respect of Plot No. 2, situated on the Churchgate Street in Block I and measuring about 1,389 sq. yds. (Frontage 100' x depth 125').

The tenders should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 15,000 and should reach the Collector on or before 12 noon on 13th December, 1937.

The Collector is not bound to accept the highest or any tender.

Forms of Agreement for Lease and the Lease together with plans and Building Rules can be obtained at the office of the Collector at annas eight per copy.

T. E. STREATFIELD,
Collector of Bombay.
Collector's Office, Bombay.
30th November, 1937. (7366)

Public Notices

THE CENTRAL PROVINCES RAILWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of The Central Provinces Railways Company, Limited, will be held on MONDAY, the 20th day of December, 1937, at 4-30 p.m. at the Registered Office of the Company, Home Street, Fort, Bombay, to transact the following business:—

1st.—To adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Accounts made up to 30th September 1937.

2nd.—To declare a Dividend.

3rd.—To elect Directors in the place of Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Kt., C.I.E., M.B.E., and Sir Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Kt., who retire by rotation, but are eligible and offer themselves for re-election.

4th.—To elect Mr. R. C. Giles who retires under Article 100 as a Director.

5th.—To appoint Auditors for the current year and fix their remuneration.

6th.—To transact any other business that may be brought forward by the Chairman.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 6th to MONDAY, the 20th December, 1937, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
KILLICK NIXON & CO.,
Agents.
Bombay, 24th November, 1937. 7378.

BOMBAY-SIND PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

APPLICATIONS, in the printed form prescribed by Government, are invited for fourteen posts of probationary Subordinate Judges in the Judicial Branch of the Bombay Civil Service. Full particulars will be found in part 1 of the issues of the *Bombay Government Gazette* dated 2nd and 9th December, 1937 or can be obtained on application, enclosing a stamped and addressed envelope to the Secretary, Bombay Sind Public Service Commission, P. W. D. Secretariat, Bombay. Last date for receipt of applications for appointment: 10th January 1938. *Any attempt, direct or indirect, to influence the Secretary or a Member of the Commission or any other person concerned with the selection of candidates will disqualify the candidate.*

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NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from Medical Women for the post of Professor of Maternity and Child Welfare at the All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Calcutta. Pay Rs. 450-50-3-850 a month plus a house allowance and overseas pay, if admissible. The initial pay will be determined by the Governor-General in Council with reference to the age, qualifications, etc. of the candidate selected.

Candidates must have had experience of the executive and administrative aspects of Maternity and Child Welfare. Preference will be given to candidates who have had experience in directing or conducting research and lecturing to students.

Full particulars regarding conditions of service and the prescribed form of application are obtainable from the Secretary, Recruitment and Appointments Board C/o the Public Health Commissioner with the Government of India, Imperial Secretariat, New Delhi.

The last date for the receipt of completed application forms is the 27th December, 1937.

7351.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED SEPARATE TENDERS are invited for the construction of a building on the following Plots at Marine Drive, belonging to different owners.

Copies of Tender, Specification, and Agreement forms could be had at Rs. 10 each and plans, etc. could be inspected at the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Buildings will be constructed on the following Plots:—

Plot No. 67 Mr. Gordhandas P. Sonavalla.

Plot No. 68. Mr. Hirabhai Patel.

Plot No. 70. Mr Tulsidas Chhaganlal.

Plot No. 71. Mr. Girdharlal Tricamlal.

Plot No. 72. Mr. Jivanlal K. Parekh.

Plot No .73. Mr. Kantilal Ishwarlal.

The owners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tenders.

The Tenders are to be submitted on the 9th of December, 1937, before 4 P. M.

MASTER SATHE & BHUTA,
F.A.A.R.I.B.A.,
Chartered Architects.
34-38, Hamam Street.
Bombay, 26th November, 1937. 7348.

Public Notices

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

CITY ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT
(Works Branch).

NOTICE.

TENDERS for the work of (1) providing cement concrete carriageways and other allied works along Hornby Vellard; and (2) Filling in with earth, muram, etc. the low lying ground between the existing concrete at Hornby Vellard and the Western India Turf Club fencing, will be received upto 1 P.M. (Bombay Time) on MONDAY, the 13th December, 1937.

Tenders should be addressed to the Municipal Commissioner and delivered at the office of the Chief Accountant, Municipal Offices, Fort, Bombay, enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the description of the tender.

Forms of tender, specification, etc. will be issued on payment of Rupees 5 each to any one deputed to receive them by the Dy. City Engineer, who will on application give any further information that may be required.

In case of a firm, the names of all the partners must invariably be specified in the tender.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

(Sd.) N. V. MODAK,
City Engineer,
Municipal Offices,
Bombay, 1st Dec., 1937. 7400.

Legal Notices

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

O. P. No. 111 of 1931.

IN THE MATTER OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT VII OF 1913
and
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNIVERSAL MUTUAL AID & POOR HOUSES ASSOCIATION LIMITED,
(In Liquidation.)

NOTICE.

'CREDITORS' who had not come forward to prove their Claims so far, namely, those who had paid the legal and valuation fees but had not obtained the loans (the Company not having obtained any legal opinion or made a valuation), OR those who had paid moneys which are kept in suspense account, (not being moneys in respect of Certificates and Bonds), OR those who had paid advance instalments for loans but had not secured such loans, do apply to the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATORS before the 31ST JANUARY 1938, for payment, as otherwise, this sum would be paid into Court and they have to draw out the moneys by appropriate applications. This should be deemed the final notice to this class of Creditors. The advertisement has nothing to do with the Certificate and Bond holders of the above Company as such and does not concern them as Claimants under the Certificates and Bonds.

C. V. NAGARAJA SASTRI,
Barrister-at-Law,
Managing Official Liquidator.
7397.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 306 of 1936.

HAJI ALIMAHOMED HAJI HASHAM ..... Plaintiff.
Vs.
HAJI USMAN HAJI SULLEMAN and Others. ... Defendants.

PURSUANT to Consent Decree and Decretal Order of Reference dated 26th August, 1936, the following immovable properties will be sold in one lot by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on THURSDAY, 9th December, 1937, at 4 P. M. (S.T.)

ALL THAT piece of Foras Freehold land, situate at Furguson Road now known as Sun Mill Road, admeasuring 2924 square yards or thereabouts bearing Collectors Old Nos. 651-651 New No. 12632, New Survey No. 1/2743 and Cadastral Survey No. 210 of Lower Parel Division TOGETHER with the three chawls standing thereon and bearing Municipal "G" Ward Nos. 1032(2), 1032(2a) 1032(2b) Old Street Nos. 37a, 37aaa, 37ab and New Street Nos. 77-79, 73-75, 75A, 75B and 77A Sun Mill Road.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs MANSUKHLAL MEHTA & COMPANY, Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed at No. 6, Bell Lane, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1937.

(Sd.) G. R. KHAIRAZ
Commissioner
7005.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. RANCHHODDAS GOCULDAS, of Santa Cruz has contracted to sell to my client free from all incumbrances his immoveable property, situate at Military Road Santa Cruz, opposite the Post Office bearing final Plot No. 4 A of Santa Cruz Town Planning Scheme No. III and admeasuring 1110 square yards or thereabouts. Any persons having any claim or claims or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease, residence, maintenance, charge, attachment, or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his Office at 78, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim or claims and the same, if any will be considered as waived.

Dated this 2nd day of December 1937.

K. K. VAIDYA,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
(7401)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 1550 of 1934

KESHRINATH RAMCHANDRA and Another .... Plaintiffs
Versus
MANU PRANJIWANDAS GHASWALLA and Another ..... Defendants
And
MANECKBAI J. D. WADIA Applicant and Assignee of the Decrees.

PURSUANT TO DECREE Absolute for Sale, dated 30th July, 1935, and Judge's Order, dated 7-8-1936, the following immoveable property will be sold by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on THURSDAY, 9th December 1937, at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.)

PARTICULARS.

ALL that piece of Quit and ground rent land with the dwelling house standing thereon situate at the junction of Gujaria Street and Khoja Street in the Island of Bombay, admeasuring 119 square yards or thereabouts bearing New Survey No. 4313, Cadastral No. 3706 of Bhuleshwar Division and Municipal C Ward No. 7291 and Street No. 15A.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the Office of the Commissioner or at the Office Messrs. KHARAS AND CO., Attorneys for the Applicant and Assignee, abovenamed at New Bansilal Building, Bruce Street, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 29th day of October 1937.

(Sd.) G. R. Khairaz,
Commissioner.
(7384)

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. GOMABHAI MANIBHAI NAGARSETH of Bombay has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office, No. 65, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate lying and forming part of Plot No. 14 of the Ballard Estate of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 669.4/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 9779, Cadastral Survey No. 14/1187 of Fort Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under A Ward No. 2652 (16) and Street No. 7-4, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the North and East by Graham Road, on or towards the South by Dougal Road, and on or towards the West by land belonging to the said Trustees.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1937.

THAKOREDAS DARU HEMANY & CO.
Purchasers' Attorneys.
7392.

Legal Notices.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE VI. by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of Safiabai wife of YACOOBALLY JAFFERJI BENGALI, of Bombay Dawoodi Bohra Mahomedan inhabitant, a housewife at the time of her death, residing in Muskati House at Mahomedally Road, without the Fort in Bombay for the use and benefit of her minor son Safakat Husein Yacoobally and minor daughter Nemabai Yacoobally and limited to the period of the minority of the said minors ..... Deceased.

NURUDDIN ABDULALLY BANDUKWALLA, of Bombay Dawoodi Bohra Mahomedan inhabitant, Arms and Ammunition Merchant, residing in house No. 191, Abdool Rehman Street, without the Fort in Bombay, appointed under Section 254 of the Indian Succession Act by an order of this Hon'ble Court, dated 12th November, 1937, to apply for and obtain letters of administration herein ..... Petitioner.

ALL persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir JOHN WILLIAM FISHER, BEAUMONT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this 27th day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven and in the First year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

R. B. PATEL,
Prothonotary and Senior Master.

TAHIR ALI,

The 27th day of November, 1937.
Messrs. JAMSEDJI RUSTOMJI & DEVIDAS,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
7372.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE VI by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of GIGABHAI alias GORDHANDAS DAMODARDAS THAKAR alias LAKHANI, late of Bombay Lohana Hindu Inhabitant, a Land-lord, residing at the time of his death at Girgaum Back Road, outside the Fort of Bombay ..... Deceased.

(1). DAMODARDAS DEVJI, of Bombay Lohana Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Maharaj's Malo, 2nd Bhoiwada, Bhuleshwar, outside the Fort of Bombay, (2). Bai COOVERBAI widow of Gigabhai alias Gordhandas Damodar also of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, residing at 238, Girgaum Back Road, outside the Fort of Bombay, Executor and Executrix respectively named in the will of the said deceased ..... Petitioners.

ALL persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Probate.

Witness Sir JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this 30th day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven and in the First year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL.
Prothonotary and Senior Master.

(Sd.) TAHIR ALI,

The 30th day of November, 1937.
Messrs. N. C. DALAL & CO.,
Petitioners' Attorneys.
7394.

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VICKS VAPORUB

AROUND THE COURTS

BOMBAY, Friday.

That he removed a silver chain from the person of a boy of 5 years playing in the compound of Vithoba Temple, Wadala, was the charge on which a young man named Gangaram Bhawoo Futar was arrested by the Kingsway Police. He was produced before the Presidency Magistrate, Dadar.

He states that the accused was seen removing the ornament by a person from a Vyayamshala nearby. He shouted out "Chor-Chor".

A police constable nearby chased the accused and arrested him.

Mr. W. K. Mankar, Presidency Magistrate, ordered the accused to be released on bail of Rs. 50, in default to be remanded into police custody till 17th December.

Ardeshir Hormusji Katrak, a bill clerk of the Mercantile Bank of India, was arrested yesterday evening by the Esplanade Police at the Parsi General Hospital on a charge of criminal breach of trust in respect of Rs. 5,200.

The Magistrate directed the accused to be released on a bail of Rs. 750 with one surety in like amount.

Roshandin Obedulla was arrested by the Pydhoni police this morning at about 5-30 a. m. for alleged stabbing under sections 451, 326 and 324 of I. P. C

The Magistrate ordered the accused to be remanded in Police custody till December 17, at the Mazagaon Court to-day.

The proprietor of a Restaurant at Masjid Bunder is alleged to have been duped by a "bogus" Dalal, aided and abetted by a "bogus" financier and a "bogus" advocate.

This story was related to-day before the Chief Presidency Magistrate when C. K. Shah, the alleged bogus financier, was put up on a remand application. The accused was arrested yesterday evening.

The Magistrate directed the accused to be released on a bail of Rs. 100.

SEVERAL GAMING ARRESTS IN CITY

The Anti-Gambling Squad arrested three persons in a raid in Bapu Khote Street at House No. 100 last night.

Lalchand Harakchand, Motilal Bhikamchand, and Tejraj Virchand were ordered to be released on bail till the 10th instant at the Girgaum Police Court.

One X. Fernandez was taken into custody by the Byculla Police last night for alleged gambling on Mount Road.

He was ordered to be released on bail in a sum of Rs. 100 till the 10th instant at Girgaum.

Two more persons, Bhikaia Fragji and Jairamdas Naranji, were arrested by the Anti-Gambling Squad at 10 p.m. last night.

They were released on bail till the 17th instant. Ebrahim Jahauddin arrested by the same police on Wednesday night, was released on bail till the 10th instant at the Girgaum Court.

The Maharbouri Police took into custody six persons following a raid last night at Dayabhai Ghelabhai Building, Kika Street. Of them Tribhuvan Jethabhai and Baburao Krishnaji were released on bail and Chandulal Manilal Kuvarji Dhamji, Baboobhai Karson, and Mulji Meghji were ordered to be released on bail in a sum of Rs. 100 till the 17th instant at the Girgaum Court to-day.

Ahmed Haji Ali Mohamed and Esmail Hasan were arrested by the Anti-Gambling Squad at Sandhurst Road last night and Rs. 102, including marked coins, was seized from them.

They were bailed out in the Girgaum Court till the 16th instant.

Two brothers, Kalad Sajad Hussein and Chotan Sajad Hussein, were found guilty of gambling in Patra Chawl at Killedar Street on November 17 last and were sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for three months and one month respectively at the Girgaum Police Court.

Found guilty of selling documents containing information about American Cotton forecasts thus facilitating gambling on 19th November last at DeLisle Road, Bombay Bhikkoo Kanoo was sentenced to a fine of Rs. 15 in default to a week's R. I.

Abdul Haq Yacoob was fined Rs. 500 and Appa Shiva was fined Rs. 200 under the provisions of the New Gambling Act, on having been found guilty of gambling in the seventh room of Dagad Chawl on the Madanpura Ripon Road on 10th November last. In default they were ordered to undergo rigorous imprisonment for one month and 15 days respectively.

Three other accused arrested at the time were given the benefit of doubt and acquitted as their bets were not found recorded.

DASTUR KHURSHEDJI PAVRI HONOURED

American Professor Dedicates Monograph

News has just reached from America that a remarkable tribute has been paid to the venerable Parsi Orientalist, Dasturji Saheb Khurshedji Erachji Pavry, in the form of the Dedication of a learned Monograph by the eminent American savant, Professor M. Sprengling, and published by the Oriental Institute of America. It is entitled "A New Pahalavi Inscription".

Since the day Dasturji Pavry celebrated his seventieth birthday, over eight years ago, high honours have been conferred upon him from time to time. The first among these was the conferring of the "Neshane Elmi" (Order of Merit) by the Shah of Iran, then his election as an Honorary member of the Hungarian Oriental Society, then his receiving Congratulatory Addresses from six of the world's leading scientific societies, then a Commemoration Volume in his honour by seventy eminent scholars from seventeen different countries, and the dedication of a learned monograph by a distinguished American savant and a prominent scientific body, is the latest tribute to Dasturji Pavry's great scholarship.

Professor Sprengling's learned monograph, dedicated to Dasturji Pavry, is the first publication of a new Pahalavi inscription recently discovered at Persepolis by the American Archeological Mission.

The inscription, in thiry-four long lines, is a notable addition to our slendour stock of Pahlavi incised in stone.

WOMEN'S ROLE IN NATION BUILDING

Srimati Hiravati's Call At Santa Cruz Gujarati Stri Mandal Social

The annual social gathering of the members of the Santa Cruz Gujarati Hindu Stree Mandal was held on Wednesday on the new plot which was recently bought for the building of the Mandal. Over a thousand ladies attended the function and among those who were present were Lady Laxmibai Jugmohandas, Shrimati Motiben Chinai, Vidyaben Chunilal, Bachuben Dharamsee and Motiben Devidas

Mrs. Gangaben Patel proposing Mrs. Hiravati Mansukhlal to the chair said: "We are meeting at the place where we are going to have our own building and at this happy occasion we have been able to get Shrimati Hiravati Mansukhlal to preside over the function. She needs no introduction as you all know that she is taking considerable interest in the movement of women and her husband has given away large sums to various associations."

Shrimati Hiravati, presiding over the meeting, said that the Mandal began its activities on a small scale some years ago and now it had grown as an important institution due to the untiring labours of Gangaben, Dahiben, Kusumben and Chanchalben. The activities were very beneficial and useful and instead of wasting their time in idleness, it was essential that all should take full benefit of the Mandal. There was a time when the activities of women were confined to the home; but now the country was making serious efforts to stand in line with other countries. Thus our women have to play their effective role in this great movement and in doing so education is most essential which can be had now through such associations There are all facilities of education in this mandal to learn English, Gujarati, knitting sewing and other useful things. The uplift of women is our own subject and every one of us must take keen interest."

Lady Laxmibai then appealed to all members to help the Mandal in all possible ways to possess a building of its own.

Shrimati Mudrikaben Anjaria garlanded the President and thanked her for the keen interest she was taking in the work of the Mandal.

Mrs. Gangaben then announced that Shrimati Hiravati had joined the Mandal as a patron and contributed Rs. 501.

There were many interesting items of Garba etc. which were followed by light refreshment after which the gathering dispersed.

REGISTRATION FEES TOO HIGH

Bombay Vaidyas Criticise Govt. Bill

Under the auspices of the Bombay Ayurvedic, Homoepathic, Unani Medical Association, a meeting was held at Matunga. Mr. S. H. Jabvala, M.L.A. was in the chair.

Dr. R. M. Bhojr, the President of the Association threw light on the forthcoming bill announced by Dr. Gilder and said that the above three systems have lagged behind as the Government have not spent a pie on those systems. He said that in comparison with the status and grade of the Allopaths, the registration fees were also quite abnormal, and they should be reduced. He strongly protested against the bill and expressed that it was nothing but the repression in the name of the protection and encouragement to those three systems, and it seemed clearly nothing but the policy of raising the revenue by way of registering the Vaidyas and Hakims.

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2-15 p.m. The Novice Plate (Div. II) 6 Furlongs.

GREAT STAR	1
FAHAD BEG	2
PRINCE HILAL	3

2-45 p.m. The Bangalore Plate 6 Furlongs.

MAHARAJA'S CHOICE	1
ADVANCE	2
VANDYKE	3

3-15 p.m. The Canal Plate 7 Furlongs.

MAHMOOD BEG	1
SILVER STAR	2
HARIA	3

3-45 p.m. The Tenby Plate, 1 Mile

GALUMPH II	1
QUICKSILVER	2
ASHVARAJ	3

4-15 p.m. The Carlisle Plate Furlongs, (Div. II). 7

TIPPERARY	1
PERRIER	2
PROVENCE ROSE	3

4-45 p.m. The Windsor Plate Furlongs 7

ARGO'S HEIR	1
HERITAGE II	2
DIAMOND SHOWER	3

5-15 p.m. The Carlisle Plate (Div. I) 7 Furlongs.

BASTION	1
TOBRALCO	2
SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL	3

5-45 p.m. The Manchester Plate 6 Furlongs.

KARAWAY	1
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Interesting Prospects Of The Second "Test" Match

(BY "LOOKER-ON")

For the second unofficial test match against Lord Tennyson's team which will be played at the Brabourne Stadium from December 11 to 14, the following 14 players have been invited from which the All-India team will be selected:—V. M. Merchant (Captain), Major C. K. Nayudu, Mahomed Nissar, the Yuvaraj of Patiala, L. Amar Singh, L. Amarnath, Mustaq Ali, D. D. Hindlekar, S. Banerjee, P. E. Palia, Vinoo Mankand, Qamardin, Nimbalkar and S. M. Kadri.

As everybody will observe, there has been a sweeping change in the team which played in the first "Test" at Lahore. As many as five of them, namely L. P. Jai, Amir Elahi, A. G. Ramsingh, V. S. Hazare and Mubarak Ali have been dropped. Ram Prakash who was in the reserve has also been omitted. I do not think anybody will be sorry for their omission as none of them came upto the mark.

EXCELLENT CHOICE

On the other hand, the invitation to Major Nayudu, Palia, Mankad, Qamardin, Nimbalkar and Kadri will receive the cordial approval of all. Col. Mistry deserves to be complimented on his judicious choice of players from the available material. I have no doubt the invitation to Major Nayudu will be particularly appreciated by a section of cricket fans who hold that Nayudu is still indispensable to Indian Cricket. There is no doubt that he will be a great asset to the side. It is hoped that Nissar and Banerjee who were unable to play at Lahore, will be able to lend their services in Bombay. The team which will actually take the field will, therefore, be:—Merchant, Nayudu, Nissar, Yuvaraj of Patiala, Amar Singh, Amarnath, Hustaq Ali, Hindlekar, Banerjee, Palia and Mankad with the remaining three in the Reserve List. It will perhaps be the strongest side which India can put on the field at the present moment.

BOWLING AND BATTING

The bowling stock will be immensely strengthened by the inclusion of Nissar, Banerjee, Nayudu, Palia and Mankad. At Lahore fast bowlers carried the day. If the same thing happened in Bombay, the Indian attack will not be found wanting. Even otherwise the visitors will have to content with bowlers who are by no means easy stuff.

The batting strength will also be considerably augmented with Nayudu, Palia, Mankad and Banerjee in the team. In fact, with the exception of Nissar, everyone is a batsman capable of contributing decent figures. In my opinion the following should be the best batting order:—

(1) Hindlekar, (2) Mustaq Ali, (3) Merchant, (4) Amarnath, (5) Nayudu, (6) Yuvaraj of Patiala, (7) Amarsingh, (8) Palia, (9) Mankad, (10) Banerjee and (11) Nissar.

I hope Merchant will subordinate his personal ambition to become the William Woodfall of India in his capacity as captain and opening batsman at this juncture in the best interests of his side. India needs him more as No. 3., to build up the home score. The next of them will then be able to continue the good work started by Hindlekar and Mustaq Ali and consolidated by him. There will be practically no tail to the side if the batsmen play up according to their reputations.

FIELDING

The fielding department should also show appreciable improvement. Nayudu, Nissar and Banerjee will be real acquisitions in the slips and Mankad in the country. I hope Palia will do better in this respect than he has exhibited during recent years. It is this branch which needs more tightening up than any other. Owing to loose fielding, Indian teams lose more often than not. It is therefore worth remembering that with the best batting and bowling stock in the world, a team would go down if its fielding is poor. Every player should, therefore pay special attention to it.

BOMBAY'S CHANCE

Although India lost badly in the first "Test" it has been abundantly clear that the tourists are not as strong a side as they were made out to be. Two provincial teams like Rajputana and Nawanagar have already lowered their colours. Maybe, the visitors were not quite at home on the matting wickets of Ajmer and Jamnagar. But that does not minimise the importance of these victories to any great extent. Their predecessors had also the same difficulty. Still they remained unconquered at these places. However it should encourage our men to think that the tourists can be beaten if they all pull their weights together. I have not the least doubt Lord Tennyson will try his utmost to wipe out the blackspots of Ajmer and Jamnagar and to regain the lost glory of his side. The contest will, therefore, be a very interesting one. Will Bombay stand up to uphold the Cricket prestige of India?

THE PENTANGULAR

As all the world knows the Pentangular Tournament is still in the melting pot. The Hindus have refused to play at the Brabourne Stadium unless the demands of the Hindu Gymkhana, their sponsors, in respect of the allocation of seats are acceded to. They are, however, willing to play at the Azad Maidan. The Pentangular Committee has recorded their decision with great regret. From inquiries I find that no walk-over has been given to the Europeans, their opponents as yet and the dates for all the matches have been retained intact. Evidently the Committee still hopes to bring about a compromise—even at the last moment. I am afraid that if this is not done in a day or two, it will not be possible at all. If the Hindus do not take up the seats, before the Festival match starts, they are not likely to do so later. In that case their seats will have to be sold away. And their match will fall through. It is hardly necessary for me to add that the tournament will lose most of its interest if the Hindus give it a wide berth, as Mr. L. R. Tairsee, President of the Hindu Gymkhana, has asked them to do.

INTERNATIONAL WRESTLING

The All-India Professional International Wreslitng Tournament which was going on for nearly a month at the Marine Drive Stadium, came to an abrupt end on Wednesday last. The obvious reason for it was that public interest in its fortunes flagged considerably towards its latter stages. Why was it so? The first and foremost reason for it was almost all the renowned wrestlers of India boycotted it, because they found its conditions unpalatable to them. Secondly, the season was carried too long especially in the absence of the top-notch wrestlers of India. Thirdly, the rates were too high. Fourthly, most of the European wrestlers kept away owing to injuries or other causes, as the tournament proceeded.

THE CHAMPION

Now to turn to the ultimate result of the Tournament. Three wrestlers had remained unbeaten till the last day, namely, Harbans Singh (India), Emil Tzayea (Hungary), who is popularly known as 'King Kong' and Wong Bock Cheung (China). The last two being disabled and unable to fight, Harbans Singh should have been declared champion and the prize-money of Rs. 10,000 should have been presented to him and the amount of the second and third prizes should have been divided equally between the other two. The referee and the judges should, in fairness to Harbans Singh look into this matter.

ANOTHER SHOW

While the above Tournament has closed another Tournament has come into being. It is at the Khadi and Swadeshi Exhibition at the Azad Maidan organised by the Muslim Mass Contact Committee. It is all under Indian style and conditions. Several prominent Indian wrestlers like Venkappa Burud of Kolhapur, Pratap Singh of Maharashtra, and Baldeo Chaube of Muttra have already taken the field. I am also informed that Gama and his party will be participating in it shortly. Some of the Indian wrestlers who took part in the International Tournament like Sardar Khan Pathan who drew twice with 'King Kong' and was defeated once in the third round, and Ojagar Singh have expressed their willingness to wrestle with Burud Pratap Singh and others. It is very likely that Harbans Singh, Santa Singh and others will follow suit. I should not be at all surprised if some of the foreign wrestlers also agree to have a bout under Indian conditions with their challengers. The tournament promises to be a very interesting one indeed and some clean and high class wrestling will be seen.

WRESTLING AT AZAD MAIDAN

International Wrestlers To Participate

The following is the programme of wrestling matches at the Khadi and Swadeshi Bazaar organised by the Muslim Mass Contact Committee of the B.P.C.C.—

TO-DAY (SATURDAY) AT 9 P.M. (S.T.)

Rahimbax (International wrestling fame) v. Keshav Mule (Poona).

Ojagar Singh (recent International Wrestling fame) v. Rao Pahelwan (Satara).

Rama Karadkar (Karad) v. Shankar Chauhan (Satara).

Shankar Junnarwala v. Pandu Karadkar.

S. A. Jahur (Bombay) v. Ram Dular (Allahabad)

TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) AT 6 P.M. (S.T.)

Harbans Singh (Jullundhar) Punjab Hero of the recent International Tournament v. Kartar Singh (Punjab) who defeated Rahimbax and other European wrestlers

Sardar Khan Pathan v. Pratap Singh (Maharashtra).

Sham Sundar (Karkroli, Mewad) v. Sitaram (Benares).

Pannalal (Mirzapur) Radharam (Karad).

Thana District Schools Sports

The Thana District Schools (Primary and Secondary) Athletic Tournaments will be held at Chinchani, District Thana, on the K. D. High School play ground from the 23rd to 26th instant. Schools and Gymnasiums, in Thana District, wishing to take part should send their applications to Mr. J. M. Raut, Secretary, T. D. S. A. Tournaments, Chinchani, District Thana so as to reach him on or before the 15th instant.

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Khadi and Swadeshi Bazar organized by the Muslim Mass Contact Committee of the B. P. C. C. From 5 p. m. to 11 p.m.

P AND O STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The outward P and O Express Steamer 'Viceroy of India' is expected to arrive in Bombay at 3-30 p.m. on Monday the 6th instant

LAL BAVTA PRESS KAMGAR UNION

A meeting of the Managing Committee of the Lal Bavta Press Kamgar Union will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9 p.m. at the office of the Union

SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF SHIPPING KNOWLEDGE

A Harbour Cruise has been arranged to-day (Saturday) and M. V. 'Jayalaxmi' with the members of the Society will leave the Gateway of India at 3 p.m.

BHATIA MITR. MANDAL

The 43rd annual social gathering of this institution will be celebrated to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) under the presidentship of Mr. Lakhmidas Rowjee Tairsee. Music and refreshment are also included in the programme.

KANARA BROTHERHOOD

Under the auspices of the Kanara Brotherhood a programme of Vocal Music by a well-known songster Mr. B. Devrao will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9-15 p.m. (S.T.) at the premises of the Brotherhood.

BAND AT THE VICTORIA GARDENS

The band of the 1st Battalion G. I. P. Railway Regiment (A.F.I.) will play a programme of music at the Victoria Gardens, Byculla, Bombay to-day (Saturday) commencing at 5-45 p.m. (S.T.)

'CO-OPERATORS' SOCIAL

Under the auspices of the Bombay Divisional Co-operative Institute, a co-operators social will be held to-day (Saturday), at 8 p.m. onwards at the Chikitsak Samuh Hall, Girgaum, Bombay. The Hon. Mr. Morarji R. Desai, Minister for Revenue will be the chief guest.

BLAVATSKY LODGE

Prof. B. P. Hivale will conduct Psychology Class in English at the Theosophical Society, Blavatsky Lodge Hall, French Bridge, Chowpatty to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m. (S.T.).

JOLLY CRICKET CLUB

A social gathering of the members of the Club will be held to-day (Saturday) and to-morrow (Sunday) respectively, at Mandpeshwar Road, Borivli, Seth Sakarlal Ramdas Bungalow.

MUNICIPAL WORKERS' MEETING

Under the auspices of the Municipal Workers' Union, Bombay, a Municipal workers' meeting will be held at Worli to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. to demand Rs. 35 as the minimum living wage.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

EXCELSIOR—"The High Command". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 4 p.m.

ROXY—"Vidyapati". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.

REGAL—"100 Men and a Girl". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
Special morning show to-day at 10-30 a.m.

CENTRAL—"Tukaram". Daily at usual time.

CAPITOL—"Borneo". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

PATHE—"Souls at Sea". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m. Sunday morning show at 10 a.m.

WELLINGTON—"Parnell." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

BROADWAY—"The Elephant Boy". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

WEST-END—"Toofani Toli". Daily at 2-30, 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m

MINERVA—"Jeevan Prabhat". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-15 p.m.

KRISHNA—"The Unexpected". Daily at 5, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2 p.m.

IMPERIAL—"Moti-Ka-Har". Daily at 5-15, 6 and 10-45 p.m Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m

MAJESTIC—"Duniya-Kya-Hai?" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.

PLAZA—"Bhakta Damaji". Daily at 5, 7-45 and 10-30 p.m

SUPER TALKIES—"His Highness". Time as usual.

PALACE—"Lost Horizon" Daily at 3-30 6-30 and 10 p.m.
To-day and to-morrow morning show at 10-30 a.m. "Thief of Bagdad".

BOMBAY HINDU CRICKET CLUBS' UNION

The President, Bombay Hindu Cricket Clubs' Union, Bombay, writes:
An urgent meeting of the representatives of the Hindu Cricket Clubs will be held at the Hindu Gymkhana grounds to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m. (S.T.) to discuss the present situation in Cricket Carnival.

KARNATAK SANGH

The half-yearly general meeting of the Bombay Karnatak Sangh, 8 Dwarkadas Mansions, Benham Hall Lane, will be held to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Sangh premises. Members are requested to attend.

GATHA SOCIETY

Under the auspices of the Gatha Society, a public lecture will be delivered by Mr. Furdoonjee D. J. Paruck on "The Parthian Kings of Eran (Inferences to be drawn from their Coins)", at the K. R. Cama Oriental Institute's New Building, Apollo Street, Fort, on Tuesday the 7th instant at 6 p.m. (S.T.).

KURAN AND ITS TEACHINGS

Under the auspices of the Karachi Society, a public lecture will be delivered on "Kuran and its teachings" to-morrow (Sunday) in the premises of Anjuman-e-Islam High School, near Bori Bunder Station from 4-30 p.m. to 5-30 p.m. (S.T.).

POSTAL NOTICE

Registered and unregistered mails for Australia per s.s. 'Otranto' via Madura and Colombo will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 5 and 6-30 p. m. respectively on Tuesday the 7th instant.

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Wednesday	8-30 a.m.	10-15 a.m.
Friday	8-30 a.m.	10-15 a.m.

DELHI-BOMBAY (JUHU)

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Monday	1-55 p.m.	3-30 p.m.
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Monday	7-15	17-45
Thursday	7-15	17-45
Saturday	7-15	17-45

INSURANCE REPRESENTATIVES' SOCIETY

Under the auspices of the Insurance Representatives' Society, "New Insurance Bill and how it affects respecting Insurance agents" will be the subject of discourse at the Zenith Life Building at Sir P. M. Mehta Road to-day (Saturday) at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.).

SOCIAL WORKERS' SOCIETY

For sanitation round the members of the Social Workers' Society will meet at J. J. Hospital Tram Shed to-day (Saturday) at 5-15 p.m.

GRAIN MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

The total number of patients who took advantage of the Grain Merchants' Association Free dispensary during the month of November was 6745 out of which 577 males, 494 females and 382 children were new patients, and 2168 males, 2378 females and 726 children were old ones. The daily average attendance was 224.

S. D. DEO AT MULUND

Under the auspices of the Mulund Gramya Samiti, Sjt. Shanker Rao Deo, the president of the Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee and the member of the Congress Working Committee will deliver a lecture at Jawahar Chowk, Mulund at 8 p.m. to-day (Saturday).

PARENTS' DAY

The Parents' Day of the Indian Education Society's High School for Girls No. 2 will be held under the presidentship of Mr. V. D. Ghate, to-morrow (Sunday) at 5 p.m. in the hall of the King George English School, Dadar.

ID SPECIAL SHOWS OF "JEEVAN PRABHAT"

The management of the Bombay Talkies, Ltd. take pleasure in announcing that for the convenience of their Muslim patrons they have arranged a special show of their picture "Jeevan Prabhat" now running at the Minerva Talkies to-morrow (Sunday) (Ramzan Id) at 11 a.m. and another special show on Monday, 6th instant, at 2-45 p.m. It is expected that Muslim friends will take full advantage of this facility to avoid overcrowding.

NORTH-BOMBAY STUDENTS' UNION

Mr. Nagarkar writes:
Those members of the Union, who have taken the receipt books to enlist members should assemble to-morrow (Sunday) at 9 a.m. in the Union's temporary office in the Wahedina Mansion, Second Floor, Poibawdi, Parel, (near the Tramway station). They should bring the receipt books with them.
The election of the Executive of N. B. S. U. is to take place shortly for which purpose, a list of members of the Union is to be prepared with the help of the receipt books
The Provisional Committee of the Union will meet to-morrow (Sunday) at 6 p.m. at the same place.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY UMERKHADI

It is understood that at the suggestion of Mr. O. H. Brown, Presidency Magistrate, Juvenile Court, Bombay, who recently returned from England, a Boys Club has been started with a view to inculcate good morals to the boys on probation. At the first inaugural meeting of the Club held recently Mr. N. N. Aiyar, (Naval Accounts), Probation Officer of the Society and a Committee Member of the Club, distributed sweets to the boys under observation and gave them a talk in Hindi. Miss Budden, the President of the Club and Miss Taraporewalla, the Secretary, are taking great interest in making the Club a success.

Building Workers' Union Pickets Arrested

In connection with the Building Workers Union Strike two pickets were arrested last night at Northbrook Gardens under Sec. 506 I. P. C. and taken to the Nagpada Police Station.
The president of the Union was refused permission to interview the two arrested men.

SENTENCED TO DEATH

Mr. Justice Somji at the High Court Sessions on Friday sentenced Abdul Kadar, Shaik Ahmed to capital punishment for the murder of Abdul Rahman Shaikh Abdulla.
The murder was committed on August 4 last at a hotel of which the accused was the owner, sequel to an altercation over a sum of four annas.
The jury found the accused guilty of murder, and the Judge agreeing with the jury sentenced him as above.

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS OF BOMBAY GARAGE

Scheme Of Gifts Of Rs. 1,000 To Card Holders

The Bombay Garage, one of the pioneers of the Automobile Industry in India, established their first connection with the trade as early as 1904 by securing the sole selling rights for "Shell" petrol. The year proved very auspicious, for since then, the Chinoy's gradually commenced their upward stride to success.

The agency for selling Chevrolet cars was first obtained by the Chinoy's in 1916. They pushed the sales to such an extent that the word "Chevrolet" became a household word among Indian motorists. The Great War, however, gave a little set back to the industry on account of the embargo placed on the importation of motor vehicles. In the post war period, however, the firm again commenced furthering Chevrolet interests and it is perhaps as a result of this and the after-sale service facilities offered by the firm, that the car enjoys such a popularity in India to-day.

During the next few years the business continued to develop and the need for more spacious premises was felt to cope with the increasing demand so that in the year 1926 the Company shifted to their new premises at Chowpatty, where the various departments found ample space under a single roof. To honour this occasion they organized a simple competition and gave away free a Chevrolet car to one of their customers.

General Motors opened their assembly plant in Bombay in 1929 to meet the increasing demand for Chevrolets and other makes. The first Chevrolet truck built here was presented to the Bombay Municipality for an ambulance car. A similar offer was made to the Governor's Hospital Fund in 1932 when the 25,000th Chevrolet came off the assembly line. It was specially painted in gold and decorated in gold brocade, gold upholstery and had gold fittings. The car was auctioned on the Race Course on Hospital Day Races and was purchased by H. H. the Maharaja of Idar for a generous sum, thus immensely benefitting the hospital funds.

In connection with the Silver Jubilee Celebrations of His late Majesty, King George the V, another car was presented which enabled as much as half a lakh of rupees to be collected for the Jubilee Fund. A similar amount was collected during the Pageant organized for the Red Cross Funds on the presentation of a car by the Bombay Garage.

The services-sale facilities of the Bombay Garage are excellent. The central service station at Chowpatty is equipped with all the appliances of modern services requirements.

OTHER BRANCHES.

At present the Company has four branches at Poona, Ahmedabad, Nagpur and Jubbulpore. The first was opened in 1919, the second and the third in 1927 while the last in 1929. Besides these branches there are several associated dealers in majority of big towns and cities.

This month the firm is again organizing a free gift scheme to commemorate the 35th year of the establishment of the automobile branch of their business, under which they propose to give away Rs. 3,000 in three gifts of Rs. 1,000 each.

The procedure adopted in conducting this gift scheme is very simple. The management in accordance with their past experience and with full regard to the possibilities of increased sales, have estimated the number of cars likely to be sold during a period of two months. From these three winning numbers have been selected by Mr. A. G. Gray, the Sheriff of Bombay, and the number slips are being kept in the safe custody of the Bank of India, Limited, Bombay.

The sale of cars under the scheme commenced from December 1, and will continue until January 31 next. Every purchaser of a new car either at the Bombay Garage itself or at any of their dealers will be given an identification card signed by the Managing Director of the Company.

On February 1, the sealed envelope will be brought back and opened by Mr. Gray in the showrooms of the Bombay Garage before all interested in the scheme and such owners who possess identification cards corresponding to those in the sealed envelope can exchange these cards for cheques of Rs. 1.000 each. These gifts have to be claimed before March 1.

Government House News

BOMBAY, December 3.

The Marquess of Lothian and Brigadier General H. F. E. and Lady Edwina Lewin arrived Government House.

Mr. K. H. Best and Mr. T. L. Gibson lunched at Governm... House.

The Governor of Bombay opened the Ramnarain Ruia College at Dadar.

Lady Lumley opened a Sale of Work in aid of the Cathedral Funds in the Cathedral Girls High School.

Lady Lumley attended an Entainment at the New Empire heatre in aid of the Byramjee ejeebhoy Home for Destitute hildren.

The Governor of Bombay dined with Sir Kenneth Kemp at the Byculla Club and afterwards attended the Finals of the Bombay Presidency Amateur Boxing Federation on the Cooperage.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN).

Besides the many social clubs of the suburbs, the Dramatic Clubs are now on the increase.

There are many such clubs that hold their annual variety entertainments on fixed dates. One such Union is the Chimbai Fisherfolks Sports and Dramatic Union, Bandra, which is holding to-morrow its sixth annual variety entertainment.

This promises to be a real entertainment; for it has 17 items on its programme, of a selection of variety of songs, duets, in English, Marathi, Hindi and Concani languages, with two humorous sketches, one in English and the other in Marathi. The Marathi one is entitled "Agiche Puram Dhur" (Smoke before fire).

This by the way is being held in St. Andrew's Church compound and is scheduled to start at 6 p.m. Admission is absolutely free except that you will have to pay for a seat if you want one.

EAST INDIAN COMPOSERS.

Talking of the variety entertainment reminds me of the new composition of Mr. D. S. Athoguias, Director of the Spotlights Dance Band, of Bandra.

This composition is 'Valetta' a very lively one-step. This had proved a success when it was broadcasted and now the Twin Record Company has made a record of it.

On the reverse of this in Melita a Waltz, which too is a composition of another East Indian Mr. Joseph Azavedo.

B. P. SOCIALIST PARTY

A meeting of the General Council (Active Members) of the Bombay Congress Socialist Party will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 5-30 p.m. at the Party Office.

Narayanrao, U. B., the General Secretary, All-India Medical Licentiates' Association, has received the following telegram in reply to the one sent by him yesterday.

"Much touched by kind wire. Many thanks for offer of services."—Doreen Linlithgow

IRREPARABLE LOSS

From Hon. Curator, Bharat Kala Bhavan, Benares City, writes:

We are extremely grieved to learn of the sad demise of our esteemed friend, Mr. Kanaiyalal Vakil. In him, the Art-World has lost a very valuable gem. The loss is irreparable. Kindly convey our heart-felt condolence to the bereaved family whose address we do not know. Please excuse for the trouble

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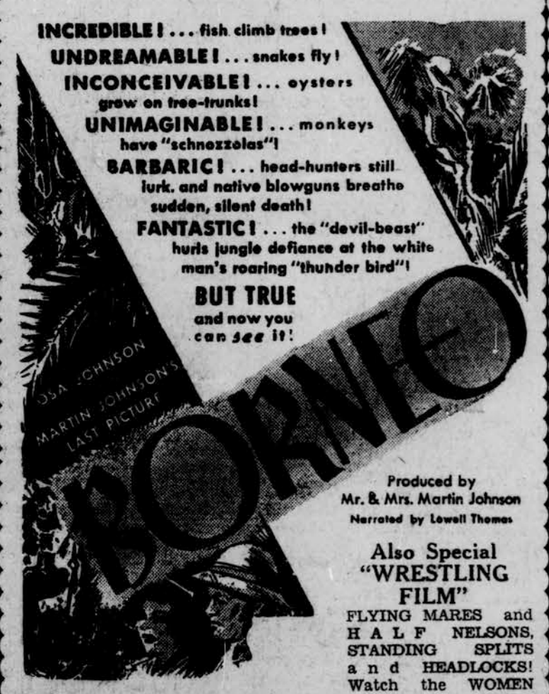
INCREDIBLE! ... fish climb trees!
UNDREAMABLE! ... snakes fly!
INCONCEIVABLE! ... oysters grow on tree-trunks!
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EDUCATION FOR LIFE

In his convocation address to the Andhra University Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, the Premier of Madras, said: "We are now in a state of flux in many matters and we do not know how things will shape themselves finally." This is particularly true of matters educational, so much so that many of those who have to decide them do not clearly know what their own final decisions may be. All are agreed that the present system of education is most defective and that radical changes are necessary but few of these critics are agreed on the precise alterations to be made. Not a few among the public therefore entertain the fear that the system that may be finally proposed to supplant the present one may be too one-sided to suit the varied needs and interests in the country or too radical to be worked by the present conservative machinery. Probably it was to prevent the sudden emergence of a one-sided and hastily conceived system that the Senate of the Patna University adopted a few days ago a resolution moved by Babu Rajendra Prasad urging the local Government to appoint a Committee "to report on the progress of education in Bihar—Primary, Secondary and University and Technical, Industrial and Professional—and to prepare a scheme for its expansion and intensification always keeping in view the needs of the people, their economic condition and the financial resources of the Provincial Government."

One Problem

Ordinarily a leader of such keen insight as Rajen Babu would have regarded his resolution as imposing too many a burden on a Ministry which has already a hundred irons in the fire. But he found some educational changes to be imminent and to prevent a restricted or one-sided scheme being hastily inaugurated he has suggested the preparation of a comprehensive scheme. In his speech on the resolution, which owing to his illness had to be read out, he rightly observed: "I look upon the whole problem as one problem and whatever division may be considered desirable for convenience of administration it is neither possible nor desirable to treat primary, secondary and university education separately." It is expected that other Congress Governments, too, will appoint similar committees whether or not they are requested to do so by the local Universities. But probably they will take this step after a detailed report of the Wardha Conference Committee is made available to them.

Wated Concrete Proposals

The distinctive features of the committees likely to be appointed by all Congress Governments are briefly indicated in Rajen Babu's resolution. Easily the most important feature is the duty of fitting every pupil, at school or college, for the life he is expected to lead after leaving school or collegs. Rajen Babu laid the greatest stress on this point and pointed out that the present system of education not only did not fit the pupil for the life he was destined to lead but often unfitted him for it. In most eloquent terms he showed how under the present system "every pupil is sought to be cast in one and the same mould regardless of his environments and irrespective of his individual capacity" and how the pupils get cut off from the society and form a class of their own and live in a world "which is altogether apart and has nothing to do with the life around them." All this is indisputable. But the problem now is how precisely to suit the training of different classes of pupils to their varying capacities, varying needs and varying environments. It will not do, for instance, to give an extreme vocational bias, and that too of an extremely restricted type, to every pupil, in the place of the present extreme literary bias. What is most wanted now is not merely the reiteration of new educational ideals but more or less precise concrete proposals subserving those ideals. We trust such proposals will soon be made available to the public by the committees like the one suggested by Rajen Babu.

Rate-War In Haj Service

We are afraid another rate-war is likely in a new sphere of maritime trade wherein Indian shipping is trying to enter and participate. We refer to the Haj Service which carries pilgrims from Indian ports like Bombay, Karachi and Calcutta to Jeddah. More than one Indian company has in the past catered for this traffic and has carried the Haj pilgrims from time to time. But for reasons which are well-known, and which need not be mentioned here, there is now no Indian shipping company plying in this trade which emanates from India and should really be India's own preserve. Considerable dissatisfaction has been existing among the pilgrims and the Muslim community generally in regard to the existing pilgrim services and numerous interpellations have been put in the Legislative Assembly for ventilating several complaints and grievances of the pilgrim passengers. The Port Haj Committees have, therefore, been trying for the last few years to obtain the co-operation of an Indian shipping service for this run and they have welcomed the decision of the Scindia Steam Navigation Company to put their steamers on this run. As stated in Mr. Walchand's speech at the Annual Meeting of the Company a few days ago, Scindias have specially built a new fast steamer "El Madina", to meet the requirements of the pilgrims and she was launched by Sir Firoze Khan Noon, the High Commissioner for India, in the presence of the Imam of Woking Mosque in September last. Similarly, another steamer "Englestan", which has been on the pilgrim trade more than once and has carried the Holy Carpet to Mecca, is also being thoroughly reconditioned in order to enable her to carry the pilgrims from Calcutta at the end of this month. In fact, the existing Line, which is a predominantly non-Indian one, has all along been opposed to the berthing of a pilgrim ship from Calcutta and the Scindia Company have volunteered to berth a pilgrim ship from Calcutta. In order, therefore, to meet the insistent demand of several Muslim leaders, including members of the Port Haj Committees, these steamers with all possible modern conveniences are being placed at the disposal of the Hajis. It is unfortunate that this modest enterprise which should be welcomed as a small expansion of Indian shipping in its legitimate sphere of trade is being met with stout opposition by the British shipping company. The Scindia Company is accused of starting a rate-war on this run. It is clear from the statement issued by Mr. Walchand, Chairman of the Scindia Company, that the Scindias have not started now and they do not propose to start any rate-war but that they are only concerned with the development of this service on the same terms and conditions as the Mogul Line. It appears that the Government of India themselves do not object to the participation of a new shipping company in this line but we must point out that the Government should not merely watch the process of competition but must, in accordance with their promises and professions, assist the development of Indian shipping in this sphere of Overseas trade which should be India's own.

THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Random Jottings

(By "TODARMAL")

During the week under review we have to record a sharp decline on the local Stock Exchange where prices were maintained at unduly high levels under professional support. The sharp decline in all the world markets, with no prospects of any immediate recovery, however, forced at last the heavy liquidation of all speculative holdings. There was heavy selling pressure and the support being withdrawn prices collapsed and panicky feeling prevailed. This was more or less anticipated as under improved facilities of transport and communication it is an almost impossible task for any individual industry to maintain undue level for a long time.

Position in U. S. A.

Local bulls relied too much on President Roosevelt and they believed that something would be done for the revival of American trade but the speeches of the President failed to inspire any confidence and the Wall-street market after a slump is just awaiting further developments. The Washington Administration has a difficult task before it to balance the coming budget and cannot spare money to encourage industries. Even in the case of the Farm Bill the administration is unwilling to shoulder more financial responsibility and the Bill is now even opposed by two leading Farmers' Associations as they do not favour compulsory control of the cotton crop. The final cotton Bureau report will be issued next week and the crop looks like 18 1|2 million bales. Thus there seems little chance for substantial recovery in prices and we can look towards prices coming to loan level only when the Pledge selling subsides.

Passed the Zenith.

World economists are wandering whether the depression has already set in. The way in which industrial activity has declined indicates that we have passed through the zenith of the boom and while we may have occasional rallies, it will be difficult to push up prices. Those who have lost heavily during the recent slump will not be in a position to pick up courage. Even those who are financially strong will also find that much of their so-called riches have disappeared and naturally they will not be inclined to assume larger risks.

Depressing Outlook?

The Indian economic outlook is in no way encouraging and the present satisfactory state of our textile industry is entirely dependent on Sino-Japanese war and every day that passes brings us nearer to the close of the tension. Japan has some special exchange difficulties but when it is free from war requirements there will be renewed exports and all foreign markets will be overstocked with supplies of manufactured goods. With larger and free imports of cloth the present state will not be sustained. The present boom is mainly due to small imports and cannot be relied upon as a lasting feature. The iron industry is also likely to have some effect of depression in other countries. At the top of this there will be the usual budgetary uncertainties which will check enthusiasm.

The financial position of the Central Government is strong enough. While there seems little chance of any additional taxation, it will have to extend some help to provinces. Thus there seems little possibility of any relief. Agricultural crops are about normal but prices have declined considerably reducing the return to farmers and naturally there will be considerable decrease in their buying. This state will not be realised so soon but as time passes it will tell on our industries and unless some effective relief measure are adopted, the economic situation will become worse every year.

Need For Constructive Measures.

It is an exceptional opportunity for the Government to take full advantage of the present plethora of money in raising large loans for constructive measures which will increase the income of agriculturists. Our crops are dependent on rains and large-scales irrigation schemes are essential. To increase the yield there must be intensive cultivation and use of chemical fertilizers. Unless these vital factors are solved, the present prosperity, which is based on managed currency, will do no good and when the favourable trade balance will disappear, the country will be called upon to live on capital.

A TRIP TO IRELAND

Kindred Problems

By GAGANVIHARI MEHTA

II.

Since 1932, several new factories have been established in the many counties for the manufacture of various articles previously imported from abroad such as iron and steel goods, boots, and shoes, hosiery, sugar, wheat flour and meat etc. An Industrial Credit Company was established to assist Irish industries. Mr. John O'Leary who was the Irish Employers' Delegate at the last International Labour Conference and who is connected with the big printing firm of Cahills and the Irish Air Service is a prominent Director of this Company. One instance may illustrate the energy and anxiety of the Irish Government to develop indigenous industries. A new motor industry is being built up with Government aid by Mr. Summerfield, who was the Irish Employers' Adviser at Geneva this year. I had the privilege of meeting and lunching with both Mr. O'Leary and Mr. Summerfield in Dublin and of learning how the Irish industrialists are looking at economic and industrial problems.

Social Policy

What, for instance, is the social policy of the Government which is determinedly protectionist in its fiscal programme? Apart from unemployment assistance, old age pensions, health act, social insurance and similar other protective measures now common in the West, there is a housing drive to abolish the slums and to house all at reasonable rents. Similarly, the worker's child is given a meal at school (three millions received it in 1936) while his wife receives pre-natal and post-natal care and free milk is distributed to necessitous families. But the most important social measure of the present Administration is the Conditions of Employment Act which limits the hours of work for adults and young persons, provides for overtime, lays down conditions for women workers and accords the right of paid holidays. The Act also deals with registered agreements between employers and workers. The question of revision and consolidation of the Factories Acts is under consideration. I had the opportunity of knowing something about the Labour policy of the Government from Miss Stafford who was the Government Adviser at Geneva and who is the Chief Factory Inspector of the Irish Free State; she was very courteous and helpful and has wide international experience owing to her being delegated to Geneva. It must be added, however that the Government do not lay down any special conditions regarding wages or profits or conditions of work in protected or subsidised industries.

British Capital

What, I wondered, was the feeling of the Irish industrialists and businessmen towards the national struggle when Ireland was still involved in it and what is their attitude now towards foreign and British Capital? The answer is not simple because British Capital has been invested in Ireland since long and there are numerous joint British Irish ventures. But the outlook of at least a section of the Irish industrialists is definitely nationalistic. In fact, the Irish Nationality and Citizenship Act of 1935 provides for a distinct citizenship of the Irish in connection with the electoral system, entry into public life, merchant shipping law aircraft as well as in connection with the special privileges which it is thought proper to reserve for the Irish nationals such as are conferred through the Control of Manufactures Acts for assisting Irish industry.

No Equal Right

Irish citizenship, in other words, is distinct from the British which cannot claim equal right on the basis of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Acts which have been repealed in Ireland. Fortunately, I had the privilege of meeting in Dublin Mr. J. J. Walsh, a remarkable and dynamic personality in the Irish industrial world. Mr. Walsh, like all prominent Irishmen, was a Sinn Feinner and a Postmaster-General in the first Provisional Government of Ireland; at present he is the President of the Federation of Irish Industrialists. Mr. Walsh made no secret of the fact that most of the Irish businessmen were lukewarm towards the national movement but, in the end, they had to support it. He was resolutely opposed to the economic domination of Britain and wanted to develop contacts with South America; he was certain that British Capital could be and would be bought out at no distant date. When I enquired whether British industrialists settled or working in Ireland obstructed the new regime, he significantly observed that they dared not do so and that the Irish there knew how to deal with such obstruction. When we parted, Mr. Walsh in bidding good-bye, observed in Gaelic, "Farewell, and may the new path reveal itself to you!"

Co-operative Movement

It was at the residence of the Fergusons that I met Dr. Kennedy, the head of the Plunkett House and Capt. Gordon, a shipowner. I had casually mentioned to Mr. Ferguson, the able Commerce Secretary and Government Adviser at Geneva, that my father who was deeply interested in the Co-operative movement and in the writings of "AE" (George Russell) had come to Dublin to see the Poet-Economist; Mr. Ferguson also knew that I was connected with shipping. He was, therefore, good enough to invite a co-operator and a shipowner to lunch in order to enable me to meet them. Dr. Kennedy said that the co-operative movement was, on the whole, going on successfully although he felt, perhaps, that the farmers' interests were sometimes being overlooked in the policy of industrialisation. From other sources, however, I heard that the principal achievement of the co-operative movement is in regard to the creameries. Capt. Gordon is the owner of a shipping service between Ireland and the Continent of Europe and his ships go to Hamburg, Rotterdam and Antwerp. Ireland has no coastal trade worth the name and its traffic with England or Scotland is carried entirely by non-Irish steamship companies, mostly owned by the British railways. Civil aviation is, however, developing through the Irish Airways, a predominantly Irish concern.

Main Problem

Whatever the memories and legacies of the past, the Irish Free State has now only few outstand-

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

LENDING BETRAYAL

The Italian and German proposals for ending the Sino-Japanese war provide an edifying example of the scandalous depravity of international morality. Both Il Duce and the German Ambassador in China have suggested virtual surrender by China of her independence. But these two Dictators have never been credited with any sense of international responsibility and it is not without a purpose that their suggestions keep in the forefront the alliance of China with the Anti-Comintern Powers. What is even more significant is the support given to their views by the "North China Daily News", a British newspaper published in Shanghai. It will not be long before the Conservative Press in England takes up the same line. Yet another grave international betrayal seems to be in the offing.

STIFFEN THE BOYCOTT.

According to a cable from the Indian Association, Zanzibar, 1632 bales of cloves were shipped on Tuesday from Zanzibar ostensibly for Hamburg. But the Association fears that at least a part of the shipment may be smuggled into India and warns Indians that strictest watch is necessary in the matter. As such suspicious shipments have been pretty common during the last few months these are good grounds for very strict watch at the docks in India. Clove dealers in Bombay and Calcutta are determined to continue their boycott of Zanzibar cloves till the grievances of the Indians in the Protectorate are redressed. And the Congress, too, has strongly supported this attitude. It is necessary now for the clove dealers and the Congress Committees concerned to co-operate and stiffen the boycott. There are enough signs to show that the boycott has already begun to tell. We should not be surprised if the proposed visit of Lord Dufferin, Under-Secretary of State for Colonies, to Zanzibar has something to do with clove deadlock.

FRESH FRUITS OF OTTAWA

The Indian non-official advisers who have resumed their talks about the Indo-British trade agreement will find good food for thought in the just published trade statistics for the first seven months of the current financial year. These figures reveal a big drop in our balance of trade from Rs. 3470 lakhs to 1863 lakhs. While imports of merchandise have increased by 30 crores, exports show little or no increase. This position is due to no small extent to the continued enforcement of the Ottawa Pact in spite of its being denounced by the Central Legislative Assembly. Indians should beware of accepting any fresh agreement on the lines of that Pact. They should particularly resist any attempt to give further concessions to Lancashire.

A STRIKING PROPOSAL

The concern of the various Congress Governments in the country for the welfare and uplift of the masses was once again very strikingly revealed by the assurance given by the Bihar Ministers to the representatives of the Khet Mazdoors of the province. While the Premier promised to consider the particular grievances of the Mazdoors sympathetically, Dr. Syed Mahmud gave a very opportune insight into the ideals which prompted them. He observed that it was the aim of the Bihar Government to enact laws, by which the old and disabled would be granted allowances by the State. This proposal is as praiseworthy as it is onerous, for obviously such a provision will entail a great burden on the provincial exchequer. At the same time the aged and the infirm have every claim on the help of the society and the State. At present they are left entirely on public charity, and while the Indians as a race are very generous, their methods of almsgiving must be radically changed for getting out of them the maximum possible benefit. The introduction of old age pensions will go some way in making the community conscious of its obligations.

JUST DECISION

The Bombay Government deserve to be congratulated on their decision to restore to the Ahmedabad Municipality the primary education grant withheld from it since 1930 on the ground that the municipal schools were closed on certain occasions in that year when eminent national leaders were arrested. The decision has averted an unseemly law suit by the municipality against the Government, who in all probability would have lost it. For even if it were irregular for the municipality to close its schools on the occasions in question, to withhold the grant was a penalty out of all proportion to the irregularity. Moreover, it is a bad policy for any Government to quarrel with a local body in the latter's exercise of its own discretionary powers, and undue interference reduces local self-government to a mockery. The Bombay Government have also done well to delete from their 1930 circular to local bodies the sentence condemning "a tendency....observed on the part of some local bodies to support or publicly express sympathy with the advocates of civil disobedience or the promoters of movements directed against the authority of Government."

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COMMENT

...ion interviewed on board the ...p by a representative of this ..., Lord Lothian said that the ...ect of his visit was to study ...s situation in India and to see ...ow the new Constitution was working, as well as to gauge the feelings of different sections of Indian opinion towards Federation.

Lord Lothian added that his visit to India was *purely a private and unofficial one.*"

—Bori Bunder.

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"The impression created in England about the inauguration of autonomy in the provinces of India is that the scheme is working very well", declared Lord Lothian, who arrived in Bombay from London on Friday.

Isn't that too bad? We must do something about it soon enough.

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ROME, December 2.

Italian airmen brought down 455 Republican 'planes in the Spanish war according to newspaper claims.

—Reuter.

Two questions suggest themselves to us:—

(1) Had the Republicans got as many as 455 aeroplanes?

(2) How many Italian 'planes and "volunteer" airmen were required to bring down such a large number?

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"India wants to be a partner of the British Commonwealth of Nations, because she believes that Great Britain is a champion of freedom, justice and equality among men", declared Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar speaking at a meeting at Newcastle (Britain) under the auspices of the Overseas League.

India, of course, pleads "not guilty" to the charge made by Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar.

Sir A. R. Mudaliar deplored what he described as general lack of knowledge of India amongst the British people and regretted that the bulk of literature dealing with India did not do justice to the people or the conditions in India.

What is even more regrettable and deplorable is that there is a general lack of knowledge of India even among certain Indians and that the bulk of speeches made by Indians in London do no justice to the people or conditions in India!

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This year's prize for blatant hypocrisy goes to "North China Daily News", a British paper, which echoes Signor Mussolini's advice to China to sue for peace and says, "Having heroically protested the Chinese Government can afford to raise the issue of peace, without fear of ignominity or a sense of humiliation."

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The Delhi Police have arrested Pandit Parmanand (not to be confused with Bhai Parmanand) who had been recently released after 22 years' imprisonment and who presided over the Political Prisoners' Release Conference.

The Delhi Police certainly possess a rather quaint sense of humour.

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The German Ambassador in China is reported to be making efforts for a "settlement" of the Sino-Japanese war. Il Duce, too, has suggested that China should surrender to Japan.

The stage is now set for a bold diplomatic move by Britain. A new version of the Hoare-Laval Pact may, indeed, be expected any moment.

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TO-DAY'S PRIZE HOWLERS

(1) The "revolutionary changes" in the British army which have been announced include the provision that henceforth its cost will be borne by Britain herself and not by India.

(2) The Marquis of Lothian has come to India on a purely personal and informal pleasure trip.

(3) The next students' strike will be as a protest against the College rules which require them to attend lectures.

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A woman was entering a cinema when she was stopped by an attendant.

"Excuse me, madam", he said, "but you can't take your dog inside."

"How absurd!" protested the woman. "What harm could the pictures do to a tiny dog like this?"

From Guardsman To Chief Of Gen. Staff

ARMY REORGANISATION IN BRITAIN

Viscount Gort To Replace Field Marshal Sir C. Deverell

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Revolutionary changes in the Army Council have been announced, involving the resignation of three out of the four Military Members. The replacements will be made by younger men, Viscount Gort succeeds Field Marshal Deverell as Chief of Imperial General Staff.

The resigning members include Field-Marshal Sir Cyril Deverell, General H. S. Knox and Lieutenant-General Sir Hugh Elles.

They are succeeded by Viscount Gort, who becomes new Chief of the Imperial General Staff, Major General C. G. Liddell, who becomes Adjutant General. Engineer Vice-Admiral H. A. Brown, who, as Director-General of Munitions Production is already a member of the Army Council will retain this title and take over the duties of Master-General of Ordnance from Lieutenant-General Sir Hugh Elles. He will be assisted by Lieutenant-General M. G. Taylor, who will have the title of Deputy-Master-General of Ordnance.

The posts of Director-General of Munitions and Master-General of Ordnance are merged. The post of Deputy-Chief of the Imperial General Staff has been revived and given to Sir Ronald Adam.

Major-General Wavell will be G.O.C. Southern Command, in succession to Sir J. T. Burnett Stuart, who is due to vacate his appointment next April.

Major-General R. H. Haining will be G. O. C. of Palestine and Trans-Jordan in succession to Major-General Wavell.

The changes bring down the average age of military members of the army council from 58 to 52.

It is noteworthy that Viscount Gort is one of the few guardsmen to become Chief of the Imperial General Staff. The announcement follows a visit Mr. Hore-Belisha paid to the King earlier in the week.

Announcing the changes, the War Office stated it was the intention in future to bring general officers holding principal commands at home into closer association with the central direction of army policy. It is expected that the changes will be completed by the New Year.

The retirements of Sir Cyril Deverell and General Knox are regarded as graceful gesture by these two officers who are ready to make room for younger men.

The changes follow the closest investigation of whether the existing machinery was really adapted to carry out the policies inseparable from the vast scheme of rearmament and defensive measures now being undertaken. It is pointed out that it was largely a question of psychology and confidence is expressed that by placing the younger generation in charge Mr. Hore-Belisha will have an instrument for imparting a fresh flow of ideas throughout the land forces.

It is stated that preconceived ideas of red tape find no place in the reorganised administration of affairs of the army.

It is pointed out that the new appointments bring the army into new relations with modern developments of warfare and ensure the resilience required to meet the conditions likely to be imposed at a time of strain. They are also an indication to the whole army that the merit and agility are the criteria to be adopted in future and the conception of promotion by age and seniority falls to the ground.

Another noticeable feature is that the principal fighting generals like Generals Dill and Wavell will be left in commands from where they ready take their places at the head of forces in the field at a time of emergency. They will be more closely associated with the War Office. What is anticipated is something in the nature of the French plan a Superior War Council.

Military Historian On Army Reorganisation

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Captain Liddellhart, the eminent military historian, interviewed by Reuter expressed the opinion that the army changes were aimed primarily at meeting the new conditions of warfare.

For the first time the war generation who bore the brunt of the Great War as juniors or started their war careers as juniors had now come into control. For example Viscount Gort was a Lieutenant on the day the War was declared. He was promoted Captain the next day but did not command a battalion until 1917.

For the first time in history a junior Major General had been chosen as Chief of the Imperial General Staff. It was a most sweeping change which should bring considerable vitality to the service.

The new appointments will not bring to the fore men specially expert in mechanised warfare but Viscount Gort and Sir Ronald Adam are closely acquainted with air problems, indeed Viscount Gort taught himself to fly and is the only General holding a pilot's licence.—Reuter.

455 'Planes Brought Down In Civil War

ROME, Dec. 2.

Italian airmen brought down 455 Republican 'planes in the Spanish war according to newspaper claims. Of the total 138 were unidentified 106 described as Rata pursuit 'planes, 96 Curtis chasers and the remainder as of French or American makes.

A list is also given of 41 Italian volunteer airmen killed.—Reuter.

BRITISH PRESS APPLAUDS REORGANISATION

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The Army Council changes are understood by "Reuters'" Military correspondent to be due to the decision to bring the progress of the army equipment, training and general organization more into line with the progress made by other fighting services.

There seems to be little doubt that the international situation influenced the decision, though not in the sense of any sudden or prospectively immediate emergency.

Viscount Gort is well-known for exceptional driving force while the Deputy Chief of the Imperial General Staff is of a totally different temperament, intellectual and strongest mental powers. The two are considered by good judges to offer the prospect of an exceptionally strong combination with irresistible drive.

The morning papers generally welcome the changes.

The "Times" says the far-reaching steps may well carry a new hope to the army, which has long suffered from the effect of depressingly slow promotion also offer hope to the public that the new problems of Imperial defence will be met with fresh minds and with resilience, physical and mental, needed to cope with the pressure of rapid rearming and with the still more intense strain that will ensue if a war should ever come.

Changes will bear witness to the world to the vigour of our purpose and capacity for adaptation to changing conditions. They refute the assumption that in dictatorships alone are there vision and courage to give the rising Generation its chance.

The "Daily Telegraph" says the unprecedented transformation of the Army Council signifies that the War Minister and many of his leading advisers have found themselves in serious disagreement on important matters of policy elating to organisation of the Army Council but in no way indicates a service crisis in the army. The innovations promise increase of its effective strength.

The "News Chronicle" applauds Hore-Belisha's courage.

The "Daily Express" and the "Daily Mail" praise the reform.

CHEAP LIQUOR IN KHANDESH

Extraordinary Remedy To Stop Illicit Distillation

(From Our Correspondent.)

DHULIA, Dec. 2.

Some parts of West Khandesh District in which the Bhils reside have been reserved under the Governor's special administration, under the Government of India Act. 1935. Shahada Nandurbar and Nawapur are such excluded areas. From the 1st of November, a surprising experiment is being tried in Nawapur taluka and 28 villages in Nandurbar taluka.

Notices over the Collector's signature have been posted on the walls of various liquor shops which say that cheap liquor has been made available, wholesale or retail, in order to check illicit distillation to which the Bhils are said rather freely to resort. According to the new tariff, a bottle could be had for five annas which formerly cost about a rupee and liquor could be had also with as much ease as a cup of tea could be had anywhere.

Congress circles in this District look with disapproval on this experiment and they are wondering whether these notices have been issued in consultation with the Excise Minister. Even if the Governor is within his rights to do this, the spirit of help and co-operation would require a very different approach to this question. Even the officers concerned in executing these orders feel that the notices must be cancelled at once and the experiment put a stop to.

RUIA COLLEGE BLDG. OPENED

Governor's Tribute To Work Of Organisers

A large and distinguished gathering of ladies and gentlemen was present yesterday evening in the spacious Shamiana in front of Ramnarain Ruia College, Matunga on the occasion of the opening ceremony of the College by His Excellency, the Governor of Bombay.

The Raja Sahib of Jamkhandi President of the Shikshana Prasarak Mandali in welcoming His Excellency stated that the opening of this College was a landmark in the annals of Higher Education in this Presidency in general and of the Shikshana Prasarak Mandali in particular. He then narrated the various activities of the S. P. Mandali for the spread of education, primary, secondary and collegiate. The S. P. Mandali was but one example of selfless enterprise in the realm of education by a band of humble workers devoted to that noble cause.

The Mandali's first debut in the field of higher education was made in 1916 when they opened their Arts and Science College in Poona. This he said was one more triumph of theirs.

He further said that Bodies like the S. P. Mandali depend for their existence and the steady continuance of their useful mission not only on the support of Government but also largely on the munificence of public-spirited and generous men and women.

He then related how the generous contribution of Rs. 2 lakhs by Seth Ramniwas Ramnarain, a merchant prince of Bombay enabled them to start the College which had been named after his late father.

Concluding he said that India like many other countries had found herself more and more in the throes of unemployment and it was being proclaimed more than ever before that we should have recourse to technical and vocational education. Mere cultural advancement had no attraction for the average young man who had to think of education in terms of its utility for bread-winning. And it was futile to expect Arts Colleges to pave the way to a solution of grave problem of unemployment among the educated. Again our Arts Colleges were becoming a luxury which most could ill afford. But the S. P. Mandali were quite alive to the need of times. They had already made a beginning in the matter of providing technical and vocational training in Poona. Contemplated adding to this new College at no distant date means for imparting vocational and technical education.

Principal Dr. V. K. Bhagwat then read an account of the history and origin of the College. He informed the audience that the Mandali was determined to undertake a ten year plan for the inauguration and development of vocational and technical education as soon as the College was set and going on sound basis.

Mr. N. C. Kelkar, Chairman of the Managing Council then requested His Excellency to open the College building.

Sir Roger while declaring the building open said: "For this new College you have chosen a good situation. The northern part of Bombay Island is developing rapidly, and its growing population must have its needs supplied. The older colleges are naturally placed in the older parts of the City. You are meeting the needs of the new community of North Bombay by placing your new College here.

The generosity of Sheth Ramnarain Ruia, who made the building of this College possible, is a fine example of the way in which facilities for higher education can be provided for the youth of the country. Government is chiefly concerned with primary education, and to a less degree in secondary education. When it comes to providing University education, people who require it will clearly have to pay for it for themselves or receive it through the beneficence of private donors or from private donors through the agency of educational societies which themselves depend on private subscriptions or benevolent trust funds.

I think that these limitations have their advantages since, in the first place, they make people realise that they themselves, and not the State, must find the means if they wish to give their children higher education, and, in the second place, they will weigh more carefully the probabilities of a boy being able to make good use of such advanced education if it is their own money which pays for it.

You have told me that you still have a large programme before you. A college requires more than one classrooms, and the Principal has already threatened to send round the hat for the hostels and other desirable appendages of a self-contained college; but I have no doubt that, as the College attracts students and supplies their educational wants, so it will also attract to itself funds from those who appreciate its work and who benefit from the services which it provides. You will, I am sure, be able in course of time to realise the full development of your scheme."

Seth Ramniwas Ramnarain in proposing a vote of thanks remarked that in contributing 2 lakhs of rupees to the College, he had fulfilled one of his dearest wishes of his father, namely the establishment of an Arts College in Bombay. The idea of vocational training which formed a feature of the College appealed to him. Another of his father's wishes remained unfulfilled and that was the establishment of a well-equipped hospital in Bombay. He hoped before long this also would be realised.

Britain Is Champion Of Freedom

Mudaliar Gets Enthusiastic Over Commonwealth Idea

LONDON, Dec. 2.

India wants to be a partner of the British Commonwealth of Nations because she believes Great Britain to be a champion of freedom, justice and equality among men, declared Dewan Bahadur Ramaswami Mudaliar speaking at a meeting at Newcastle under the auspices of the Overseas League.

Dewan Bahadur Mudaliar deplored what he described as the general lack of knowledge about India amongst the British people, and regretted that the bulk of literature dealing with India did not do justice to the people or conditions in India.—Reuter.

GERMANY HAS NOT HEARD OF IT

BERLIN, Dec. 2.

The report that Germany is mediating in the Sino-Japanese conflict is heard with much interest by well informed German quarters.

One spokesman told Reuter "we know nothing about it, nothing of the kind is going on." He added, "the report appears to rehash similiar earlier reports which were unfounded."—Reuter.

WAGE BILL DEADLOCK SOLVED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.

The prolonged deadlock over the United States Wage and Hours Bill which has been locked in committee since the last session was finally broken when Democrat leaders of the House of Representatives secured the signatures of 218 members necessary to force the committee to report the Bill out of committee for discussion in the House.

CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 3.

The 24th game in Chess championship was adjourned after 40 moves with Alekhine holding advantage in pawn position.—Reuter.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The death has occurred of Brigadier General E. A. D'Arcy Thomas.—Reuter.

VOLUNTEERS FOR CONGRESS

Last Date For Enrolment For Haripura Session Is 31st Instant

BARDOLI, Dec. 1.

The G. O. C.s of the Haripura Congress Volunteers, write from the Instructors' Training Camp:—

Final date for enlisting 'Sevaks' and 'Sevikas' for the Volunteer Department of the ensuing Congress is 31st instant. Those desirous of joining Training Camps will get the necessary application forms from their District Congress Committees and Taluka Congress Committees. In Baroda State these forms can be had from Prajamandal Office, and in Kathiawar from Mr. Jethalal Joshi, Sevasangh, Rajkot, Mr. Ratilal Adani, Tarvad via Chalda and Mr. Gopalrao Vidhvansh Dakshinamurti, Bhavnagar.

All those who will be taken up shall have to obey rules and regulations prescribed by the head of the Camps, from time to time.

They will have to bear the expenses of their uniforms and travelling. The cost of uniform for 'Sevaks' would be Rs. 6 and for 'Sevikas' Rs. 10.

The railway has promised to provide concession rates.

W. I. Amateur Annual Boxing Championships

The Western India Tenth Annual Bombay Presidency Amateur Boxing Championships was brought to a close on Friday night before a gathering of sporting fans and others.

Among the distinguished gathering was His Excellency Sir Roger Lumley, who later presented the trophies to the coming year's champions. These were according to weights: Fly Weight L. Hanumant (Nagpada Neighbourhood House), Bantam Weight: L/Cpl. A. R. Job, 1st Bn. the Somerset Light Infantry, Feather Weight: K. C. Sidhwa (Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League). Light Weight: M. A. Adams (G. I. P. Railway). Welter Weight: Cpl. C. Spencer (1st Bn. the Cheshire Regiment, Colaba) Middle Weight: Pt. J. O'Malley, (1st Bn. the Somerset Light Infantry, Poona). Light-Heavy Weight: L/Cpl. T. Waite, (1st Bn. the Somerset Light Infantry, Poona). Heavy Weight: Pte. J. Dickson (1st Bn. the Somerset Light Infantry, Poona).

FLY WEIGHT.

M. Dilwash lost to L. Hanumant on points, both of Nagpada Neighbourhood House.

L/Cpl. A. R. Job, 1st Bn. The Somerset Light Infantry (Poona) beat Pte. B. Goodwin, 1st Bn. The Cheshire Regiment (Colaba) on points. Job, the title-holder, was slow in beginning but went to his corner at the first gong a bit ahead of his opponent. Job's powerful left sent Goodwin twice to the boards, and but for some erratic punching he might have got the verdict early. Goodwin came up fresh and the third round saw him hold the champion, who appeared to be tiring and hitting wildly. It was Goodwin's round. Job pulled his socks up when they came up a fourth time and gave a more active display of his knowledge and retained the title.

FEATHER WEIGHT.

K. C. Sidhwa (Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League) beat Pte. L. Fixter, 1st Bn. The North Staffordshire Regiment (Poona) on points.

Both men mixed it early. Sidhwa came out of the first round with more points. Another round of incident in which Sidhwa did more of point collecting than his opponent. A scrap of a third round in which Sidhwa was again top man. Fixter came up very fresh and fought gamely, but Sidhwa was just a wee bit too much of a proposition. If Sidhwa could have directed his blows correctly he might have earned a K. O. verdict. Instead he had to be satisfied with a point's decision.

LIGHT WEIGHT.

J. C. Pithavalla (Zoroastrian P. C. and H. League) lost to M. A. Adams. (G. I. P. Railway), on points.

Pithavalla the Light Weight Champion was distinctly not impressive in the first round and popular opinion had it that Adams the G. I. P. man retired to his corner with an advantage. Adams got away with the second round, while it appeared that Pithavalla was looking for a K. O. Adams for a third time returned to his corner the better man. Pithavalla, while waiting for a decisive blow gave away a lot of points. Both men put in every ounce into the fight but Adams was as hard as nuts and trained to a 'T' and took the last, as he did the 3 rounds that went before.

WELTER WEIGHT.

Pte. S. Scott (Cheshires) was knocked out by Cpl. C. Spencer (Cheshires), in the first round.

Spencer jumbled his man to his liking and a nice one to the point had Scott out for the count.

MIDDLE WEIGHT.

Dr. J. P. Hannon (Cheshires) was knocked out by Pte. J. O'Malley (Somerset Light Infantry).

Hannon made wild use of his advantage of reach, but rectified it latter. O'Malley, however, was a strong punching opponent and floored Hannon with a powerful right. The gong saved Hannon from being counted out. The latter came up gamely but O'Malley was the fighter and a powerful puncher and he secured a K. O. verdict before the end of the second round.

L./Cpl. T. Waite (Somersets) beat Saul Hayeem (Nagpada Neighbourhood House) on points.

Waite got the better of a first round full of action. Waite reached his opponent's head and body repeatedly in the next round with both hands and retired with a further advantage. A good hard hitting third round in which both men took punishment gamely. S. Hayeem, who was behind in points, did all for a K. O. but failed, and Waite conceded the verdict to the Somerset Light Infantry man.

Pte. J. Dickson (Somersets) beat J. Hayeem (Nagpada Neighbourhood House) on points.

The Heavy-Weight fight saw a scrapping first round in which both men did almost as much as his opponent. There was nothing much to enthuse about in what was seen in the second round. Dickson with more accurate landing took the third round. Hayeem gained points in the last round, but his loses gone before were not made up and the verdict went against him.

BIRTH CONTROL IN INDIA'S INTEREST

Bombay Public Meeting Decides In Its Favour

An interesting debate on the necessity and advisability of Birth Control in the interests of India and for national welfare, was held at Sir Cowasjee Jehangir Hall, on Friday, under the auspices of the Marriage Hygiene Council and the Social Workers' League.

At the conclusion of the debate, Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai, who presided, obtained the vote of the House and declared that on a show of hands the proposition that Birth Control was necessary and advisable was carried.

A few members of the Roman Catholic Clergy watched the discussions.

FROM MEDICAL POINT OF VIEW

Lieut.-Col. Jelal Shah, I. M. S., moving the proposition made out a good case for Birth Control from the medical point of view. Birth Control was an old problem, though the methods adopted had constantly changed. Birth Control really was intended for married people. If unmarried people too adopted Birth Control, their conduct was regrettable.

CHILD MORTALITY

In India nearly 250 to 300 children out of every 1,000 born, died. Of these about 50 per cent., died within the first year and nearly 60 per cent of these died within the first week of birth. They had realised the importance of sanitation, hygiene and medical treatment, but none of these would be effective, unless the people had come to realise that unless they were in a position to bear children, they should not have them.

Even now people resorted to surreptitious and dangerous methods of Birth Control and prevention of conception. There would be no harm if birth control was legalised and appropriate methods taught to people.

Birth Control did not mean that pregnancy should be avoided. It facilitated the spacing out of births so that the woman would be in a better position to bear children.

Medical opinion by a majority considered the modern methods of Birth Control harmless. It formed part of preventive medicine and as such it could be adopted in the interests of national welfare.

ROTTEN PART OF CIVILISATION

Prof. Correa-Afonso opposing the proposition said that civilisation was like the Curate's egg and Birth Control formed its rotten part. It marked the fall of the Greek civilisation, the end of the Roman Empire and the decline of the modern European civilisation. If it were claimed that Birth Control had the Sanction of Science behind it, he would say that bombs and shells too were born of modern science and he would classify Birth Conurol instruments among bombs and shells, as destructive of human race.

He would not deny that at a particular stage, limiting of population was necessary. There was a high birth-data and the census officials viewed it with alarm. But there was a high birth rate because there was a high death rate too. If measures were adopted to lower the death-rate, it was found that birth-rate also had fallen.

REMEDY WORSE THAN DISEASE

In the Suez Canal Zone, in Japan when it was in insular condition, in England before the Industrial revolution, population remained stationary. But Birth Control was a remedy worse than the disease itself. It was in man's rational nature that his functions should be duly carried out by him.

The speaker cited medical opinion which deprecated methods of controlling birth as dangerous and harmful.

SOCIAL WORKER'S EXPERIENCE

Miss Kapila Khandwalla supporting the proposition said that as a social worker she was convinced that in a country like India where large masses of people were poor and illiterate, Birth Control was a useful and beneficial method. She described the agonies of mothers who were unable to bear children and yet feared that they might have to bear them.

Indiscriminate rise in the birth-rate only added to the misery of the children and their parents who were unable to provide adequately for their off-spring.

Mr. G. G. Shimoga opposing said that when Great Britain was engaged in a campaign for more babies, it was strange that people in India should speak of birth-control.

WE ARE NOT BABY KILLERS

Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta supporting cited figures to show the appalling poverty of the masses. Those who advocated birth control were not baby-killers. The instinct of motherhood was so powerful that there was no danger of a decline in population.

The need for Birth Control arose out of inference from facts.

Prof. A. Soares opposing the motion said that taking into account the increase in production of wealth in this country one could not say there was over-population. The population in the decade between 1921 and 1931 increased by 20 per cent., but production of wealth increased by 55 per cent.

Lieut.-Col. Jelal Shah replying to the debate said that if Birth Control was to be tried on the whole population, it followed that the case of each individual had to be taken into account. One could not, therefore urge that individual cases need not be looked into.

Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai summed up the arguments on both sides before taking the vote of the House.

He personally believed that Birth Control would not be the first step in solving the national problems. Perhaps it might be the last one. If the standard of living and the standard of health of the people could be raised a better race would grow.

Birth Control was a remedy which could not be described as absolute and it could be called "relative" as it was dependent on other factors, such as economic considerations.

He then put the proposition to vote and declared that on a show of hands, it was carried.

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New Era In History Of Indian Cricket

Bombay · Governor To Open Brabourne Stadium On Tuesday

Magnificently planned and spaciously built, the Brabourne Stadium is being got ready for the Cricket carnival which commences on Tuesday, December 7.

Before the match between the Cricket Club of India's own team and Lord Tennyson's XI starts on Tuesday, His Excellency Sir Roger Lumley, Governor, will declare the Stadium open.

Brisk work is going on at present on the Stadium. Though other sections are yet to be completed, the Cricket section with a seating accommodation for about 40,000 persons, with its Pavilions for the Governor and the Maharaja of Patiala, will be ready by Tuesday.

SWIMMING POOL.

The swimming pool will also be ready by Thursday, December 9, when the first Gala Night will see Pete Desjardin and Marian Mansfield in action.

PRIDE OF INDIA.

"Pride of India" is how the Brabourne Stadium described.

Occupying an area of about 84,000 square yards, the Stadium stands on one of the most beautiful sites by the sea-side, of which Bombay can boast of. The stands around the cricket ground accommodate 35,000 visitors, while the Club House and pavilions have room for 3,000 guests.

The Cricket Club of India had during the past three years, made remarkable progress. Starting with a membership of not more than 20, at the time the Club was founded, it now has on its rolls more than 2,000 cricket enthusiasts and patrons of the game.

12 LAKHS STADIUM.

The charges for laying and for the up-keep of the cricket ground had cost the Club nearly 65,000 rupees. The total cost of the Stadium would be about Rs. 12 lakhs. It is natural that such a Stadium claims to have one of the excellent pitches, of which very few cricket-playing countries can boast.

On the south is the Club House, where accommodation is provided for the members of the Cricket Club of India. Over this House is a beautiful box for the Committee members. On the last of the Club House is the Governor's Pavilion and on the west is the Patiala Pavilion.

The western stands are reserved for the local Gymkhanas, who have nearly 5,000 seats reserved for themselves. On the east side of the Cricket ground, 12,000 seats and on the north, 6,000 seats are available for the public.

On the north-east corner is provided accommodation for the Press, with whom will sit the Scorer with his Score-board 18 feet by 18 feet.

PERFECT PITCH.

The practice pitches at the outfield have withstood seven days' cricket on end and if the ground at the centre is also equally good, then the Brabourne Stadium can claim to have a perfect pitch.

Very soon the pitch will face the test and the Test Matches will also prove a test for the pitch too.

The Swimming Pool is 75 by 35 feet and has a maximum depth of 9.5 feet.

TENNIS.

Then there are tennis stands on the south-east side of the cricket ground, where accommodation will be available for 4,000 visitors. There are six hard-courts and an equal number of lawn courts, which are carefully nursed, as they are the first of their kind in India. And there are also 4 squash courts as good as any in Europe.

Such a magnificent structure places Bombay on the top of the rest of India and it is hoped the Brabourne Stadium will usher in a new era in the history of Indian Cricket.

V. M. MERCHANT'S XI

Week-End Match Against Bombay Gymkhana

The following will represent V. M. Merchant's XI in their match against the Bombay Gymkhana to-day (Saturday) and to-morrow (Sunday), on the latter's ground at 2-30 p.m. and 11 a.m. respectively:

(1) V. M. Merchant.
(2) L. P. Jai.
(3) R. K. Indravijayasinhji.
(4) R. K. Ranvirsinhji.
(5) P. E. Palia.
(6) D. D. Hindleket.
(7) Dr. Gurtu.
(8) Vinoo Mankad.
(9) F. K. Nariman.
(10) U. M. Merchant.
(11) S. P. Kapadia.

UMPIRE:—S. J. D. Jamshedjee.

SOCIALIST LECTURES AT MATUNGA

Achyut Patwardhan To Inaugurate

Mr. Achyut Patwardhan, member of the Congress Working Committee, will inaugurate a series of lectures on Indian and International topics organised by the Bombay Congress Socialist Party at Matunga on Monday, 6th December at 9 p.m.

Among other speakers will be Messrs. Masani, Meherally, Purshottam Tricumdas and Asoka Mehta. The place of the lectures and other particulars will be announced to-morrow.

Central Education Advisory Board

NEW DELHI, December 3.

The Central Advisory Board of Education meets on January 28 and 29.

The Abbot-Wood Report on vocational and secondary education on which opinions of Provincial Governments have been invited, will be an important item on the agenda for the Board.—United Press.

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BOMBAY HOCKEY LEAGUE

Victory For G. I. P. Headquarters

G. I. P. Railway (Headquarters) gained full points in their League Fixture (Second Division), the defeated side was "The Times of India" "B." Three clear goals was the winning margin. The better side won, though the second half saw the Pressmen struggle valiantly. Their task, as the score tells was fruitless, thanks to some very erratic finishing where Lobo was the chief offender.

THE GAME.

The game opened fast with the G. I. P. away and after 7 minutes Bocarro, put the Railway ahead gathering a fine pass from Jones. Gaitley almost increased this advantage in the very next minute, his beating the goalkeeper being disallowed for stick. From the 25 bully "The Times" broke away and enjoyed a spell of attacking during which a short corner came their way, which was wasted. The last ten minutes of the half saw the G. I. P. assume the offensive again and just before the break a nice movement between Bocarro and Tellis put the latter in possession and he scored.

After the interval, "The Times" played a different game and had their opponents defending, Lobo should have scored early in the half when he beat the backs, entered the ring, got 6 feet from the goalkeeper drove hard, but outside the left upright. Soon after Lobo made another blunder, and added another mistake to his side's tale of woe.

The Railway now relieved pressure and Tellis with a delightful solo effort put the G. I. P. three ahead. "The Times" with a "never say die" spirit went all out, and, if nothing else, might have reduced the lead, but for Alphonso putting the ball softly on to Roshier's pads, with only the goalkeeper to beat. The game ended with "The Times" making vain efforts to do something.

G. I. P. HEADQUARTERS:—Roshier; Carvalho and Rodricks; Houlder, Knock and Jones G., Tellis Bocarro, Gaitley, Grostate and Jones.

"THE TIMES OF INDIA" "B":—Kelly; David and Miranda; Rodricks, Paul and Ring; Lobo, Alphonso, Letang, Couthinho and Thomas.

TO-DAY'S GAMES:—

4 p.m. Lever Bros. v. Khatau Sports.

5 p.m. Lusitanians "A" v. B. B. and C. I. Railway "A."

Y. M. C. A. CENTRAL TENNIS TOURNAMENTS

BOMBAY, Friday.

At the Central Y.M.C.A. Open Tournament to-day some good Men's Singles contests were witnessed. O. Sutton attempting to eliminate his opponent in the two sets match was exchanged to one of three sets due by D. Stilliard. Though the latter recovered his form and started brilliantly to annex the last set Sutton pulled up after a keen struggle to triumph over the latter thus extending him by 6—2, 2—6 and 6—2.

Bhandari influenced the game with the greatest care and precision and won smoothly from the Japanese at 6-1, thus extending him to the Semi Finals of this afternoon's game with G. D. Bhagat.

To-day's Programme

Court I

3-30 p.m. Mrs. D. N. Todd and Mrs. S. T. Rhenius v. Miss A. M. Paterson and Mrs. Bell.

4-15 p.m. Winners of above v. Miss F. Talyarkhan and Mrs. Captain.

Court No. 2

3-30 p.m. Mrs. Acott v. Miss P. D'Lima.

4-15 p.m. E. V. Bobb and I. Charanjiva v. W. N. Ghorpade and G. D. Bhagat.

Court No. 3

3-30 p.m. C. W. Owen and D. Stilliard v. A. C. Pereira and R. F. Vakharia.

Winner of above v. Robin Singh and M. Bhandari.

Court No. 4.

3-30 p.m. M. Bhandari v. G. Bhagat.

4-15 p.m. O. Sutton v. R. N. Pandit.

FRIDAY'S RESULTS

Men's Singles

O. Sutton beat D. Stilliard 6—1, 6—0.

M. Bhandari beat M. Take 6—4, 6—1.

Women's Singles (Finals.)

Miss P. D'Lima beat Mrs. M. R. Genge 7—5, 7—9, 6—3.

Mrs. A. R. Acott beat Mrs. Rubins.

Men's Doubles

E. V. Bobb and J. Charanjeeva beat S. S. Indulkar and R. N. Pandit 6—2, 6—4.

W. N. Ghorpade and G. D. Bhagat beat O. Sutton and O. Stevens 6—2, 6—2.

C. W. Owen and D. Stilliard beat B. D. Dhalla and E. W. Duthie 6—3, 5—7, 6—2.

Suggestions for Hall Decoration. A view of "Art in Home Exhibition."

Marquess of Lothian, formerly Chairman of the Indian Franchise Committee who arrived by the Mail Boat on Friday.

NEW CONSTITUTION AT WORK

Good Impression Created In England, Says Lothian

Lord Lothian, an ex-Under-Secretary of State for India and Chairman of the India Franchise Committee, arrived in Bombay by s.s. "Mooltan" on Friday morning. Lord Lothian in a Press interview stated that he had come to India to study as to how the New Constitution was working as well as to gauge the feelings of different sections of Indian opinion towards Federation. He also expected to see Mahatma Gandhi and other political leaders in India. Regarding the acceptance of offices by the Congress, Lord Lothian opined that the impression in England was that the New Constitution was working well.

As he had come to study situation in India, Lord Lothian did not wish to express his opinion on the policy of Prohibition proposed to be launched by the Congress Ministries.

SEC. 144 AT MONGHYR

PATNA, Dec. 3.

It is reported that the Sub-Divisional Officer, Monghyr, has promulgated an order under Sec. 144 directing that for one month no procession can be taken out without license.

Prior to this, some Mahomedans, it is said, applied to the local police for taking out processions with weapons for self-defence during the "Id". License was refused as, according to the license issuing authorities, it was a novel thing as no procession on the occasion of "Id" had ever been seen. The S.D.O. has formed a Conciliation Board with influential members of the Hindu and Muslim communities, so as to avoid any untoward event.—United Press.

Arrivals By s. s. "Mooltan"

Sir John Abercrombie, leader of the Progressive Party in the Bombay Legislative Assembly, the Marquess of Lothian, formerly Chairman of the Indian Franchise Committee, Sir Martin Forster, Scientist, formerly Director of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, Sir Joseph Robinson, formerly Member of the South African Parliament and Lady Robinson Captain R. C. McClement, R.I.N., successor to Digby Beste, I.M.M.T.'s "Dufferin" Mr. A. S. Trollip and Mr. E. J. Bruen, Live Stock Expert, Government of Bombay.

Khalsa College Sports

The first annual athletic sports of the Khalsa College will be held to-day (Saturday) at 2-30 p.m. on the College grounds, opposite King's Circle Matunga, Bombay.

PROTECTION FOR SUGAR

Special Tariff Board Report Signed

NEW DELHI, Dec. 3.

The "United Press" learns that the Sugar Tariff Board's report has been signed.

The report is expected to be received by the Commerce Department of the Government of India in a day or two, after which its examination will be taken up in hand.—United Press.

ARYAN EDUCATION SOCIETY'S HIGH SCHOOL

Hon. Mr. B. G. Kher To Lay Corner Stone Of New Building

The Hon. Mr. B. G. Kher will lay the corner stone of the Aryan Education Society's High School's new building, to-day (Saturday), at 5 p.m. on the Society's building site near Two Temples, Girgaum.

The programme includes prayer and welcome song, speech of welcome by Dr. K. S. Mhaskar, Chairman of the Council of Management, address by the Hon. Mr. Kher and "Vande Matram."

ST. MARY'S EUROPEAN HIGH SCHOOL

The annual prize distribution of the St Mary's European High School will be held in the St. Xavier's College Hall to-day (Saturday), at 5-30 p.m., when His Excellency the Archbishop, Dr. T. Roberts, S. J., will preside and distribute the prizes.

Root Cause Of Indian Journalists' Woes

"NEWSPAPER IS NOT A BUSINESS, JOURNALISM IS NOT A PROFESSION"

ERNAKULAM, December 1.

"The lot of the newspaperman in India is altogether unenviable, to say the least of it. Except for the very few who are on the top, the rest have no stimulus to improve or to look upon their calling as anything more than a temporary necessity, to be left behind the moment something better offers. In fact, the terms obtainable at the hands of employers are always inadequate and sometimes disgraceful beyond description," observed Mr. K. V. Menon, Publicity Officer, Cochin Government, and an ex-editor of the "Justice", Madras, delivering the University Extension Lecture on Journalism" last evening.

Mr. Menon added: There is no provision against sickness or old age, no regular conditions of leave or holiday or even security of tenure. And for a freelance, the conditions are harder still.

ROOT OF TROUBLE.

The root of the trouble, perhaps is that Journalism is not a business in India as yet. Most of our newspapers come into being and exist, not as business organisations, but as instruments of propaganda. Some ambitious politician or wealthy individual starts a paper as a means of publicity for his creed or as a weapon of personal power.

In this scheme of things, the principles of business management or newspaper finance, and the need to take a long view in their interests, are altogether ignored. And because the newspaper is not a business, Journalism is not a profession.

A vicious circle exists and some way out of this state will have to be found if ever Journalism is to flourish in this country and our newspapers attain the status, prestige and distinction that their contemporaries have elsewhere.

Describing the onerous nature of the work of journalist, Mr. Menon said the journalist was the friend, guide and philosopher of the public at large and it was only to the extent that he fulfilled these roles to the satisfaction of his clients that he had a right to experience the supreme joy that came of a great duty well done. As a friend he had to acquire and develop a keen sense of true appreciation of the feelings and sentiments of the public he served, stuffy their wants and requirements and endeavour in all possible ways to supply and satisfy them. He had to identify himself with their sorrows and grievances and give correct lead. At times he had to discharge disagreeable function of saying unpalatable things and fight disintegrating forces. In short, the journalist had to be an educator in the most comprehensive sense of the term

Mr. Menon did not believe that journalism could be taught through text books in a University. The bulk of the students so taught in certain Western Universities, he opined, had eventually to seek a career in other spheres.

He considered Journalism an art, which had to be studied by going through the mill. Actual contact with the work, combined with the day-to-day performance of the duties entailed, could alone help making of a good journalist.—A. P

KITTE BHANDARI AIKYA-VARDHAK MANDALI

Opening Of New Building By The Governor Of Bombay

The opening ceremony of the Hall of the newly constructed building of the Kitte Bhandari Aikya-vardhak Mandali at Gokhale Road, Dadar, will be held to-day (Saturday), at 5 p.m. by Sir Roger Lumley, Governor of Bombay. Guests are requested to be in their seats before 4-45 p.m

SWASTIK LEAGUE SOCIAL GATHERING

Hon. Mr. B. G. Kher To Be Chief Guest

The Hon. Mr. B. G. Kher, will preside over the 5th social gathering of the Swastik League to be held to-day (Saturday) at 7 p.m. at the V. M. Swastik Mandir, Vithalbhai Patel Road

The programme includes light music from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.; dinner, 8 to 10; variety entertainments 10 to 11 and onwards the performance of the Marathi play "Sashtang Namaskar" by Mr. P. K. Atre.

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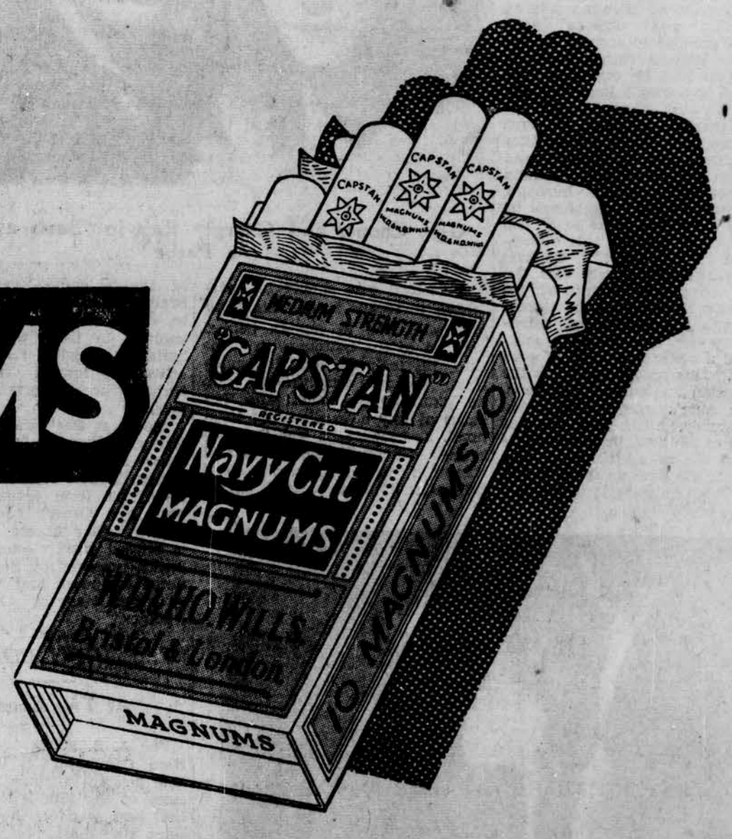

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FILM FARE FOR THE WEEK

"100 MEN AND A GIRL"

At The Regal

An unusual screen comedy drama with music, Universal's "100 Men and a Girl" starring Deanna Durbin begins its run at the Regal Theatre from to-day. There are 200 reasons why the people in this city will want to see the outstanding movie. The first 100 reasons are Deanna Durbin herself. Many of the other causes will be set forth in this review. First there is Deanna's singing. Her lovely trained voice clear, round and true, gives her songs fresh beauty. She shows remarkable versatility in the widely varied range of her numbers. It is both amazing and satisfying to her, her rendering of Mozart's "Alleluja," and then the aria, "Libiamo" from V. Verdi's "La Traviata" after she does the popular offerings, and the new popular song "It's Raining Sunbeams." But the little 14 year-old girl is more than a splendid singer. She proves she is an actress capable of portraying all shades of human emotion, although this is only her second picture. The fine beginning she made in "Three Smart Girls" is excelled in "100 Men and a Girl" Deanna has delivered. She measures up to the responsibility her producers placed on her when they made her a star and hung the film offering on her young shoulders.

Another reason for the entertainment value of the picture is Leopold Stokowski, who conducts the orchestra of 100 musicians through several offerings of stirring appeal. World famous as the leader of the Philadelphia Symphony, he now presents music through the medium of the screen, so that all audiences may know how beautiful great music can be. Stokowski has finally perfected, after two years of development, a method of reproducing music for the movies which is known as multiple channel recording. Briefly, the new system gives audiences the effect of hearing all the instruments in depth and perspective with tones varying in relation to the distance between each orchestra section and its conductor. This value of music in three dimensions is presented in "100 Men and a Girl."

Adolphe Menjou gives an enjoyable performance as Deanna's father. He, like 100 other musicians who are his friends, is almost penniless because of the scarcity of musical engagements. He finds a well-filled purse belonging to a rich woman and Deanna returns it to the giddy society matron. That lady is given fluttery, dizzy, humorous animation by Alice Brady.

Deanna sings at Alice Brady's tea party and the flighty woman says she will do anything to show her appreciation. Deanna gets an inspiration and obtains Alice Brady's promise to sponsor an orchestra. Deanna rushes home to her father and he organizes 100 men for rehearsal, incurring obligations. Just when Deanna becomes enthusiastic over the turn of events, she learns that Alice Brady has sailed for Europe and forgotten her agreement. Deanna visits the rich woman's husband, played with a light sure touch by Eugene Pallette. He says "Get Stokowski to conduct this orchestra and I'll sponsor it." Off goes Deanna and she finally gets the noted conductor to listen to her 100 musicians. Then comes the climax, filled with a crescendo of instrumental music, and Deanna's singing and a whole world full of good feeling. This production holds the prescription for human happiness. Mischa Auer's irresponsible madcap comedy, with and without benefit of musical instruments, is some of the gayest nonsense ever screened. He does so many laugh

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A scene from "100 Men and a Girl" which is shown from to-day at the Regal.

'SOULS AT SEA' AT THE PATHE

A trial of a sea captain which electrified the world some ninety years ago is powerfully and brilliantly brought back to life in the epic motion picture "Souls at Sea", at Pathe.

Played by an excellent cast headed by Gary Cooper, George Raft and Francess Dee, "Souls at Sea" is the story of "Nuggin" Taylor, an ex-slave trader, played by Cooper, who happened to be returning from England to the United States on the brigantine "William Brown". In mid-Atlantic the "William Brown's" master, played by Harry Carey, was killed and shortly later the vessel caught fire. Because of his rank, Taylor took command of the vessel.

Realizing that there weren't enough life boats to take care of all the passengers, Taylor held one of the weirdest trials ever held on land or sea. He ordered the entire ship's company and passenger list to the quarter deck and decided who should be permitted to escape in the life boats and who was to remain behind and go to the bottom with the ship. He included himself among those to go to the lifeboats, not, he swore to the court later, because of any cowardice, but inasmuch as because he was the only seaman among the survivors and therefore the only man who could bring the lifeboats through safely.

The doughty captain brought the frail craft in his charge through safely—only to stand charges of man-slaughter at sea when he arrived on land. There followed the famous trial which is now recognized as one of the most surprising in the annals of the sea.

"Nuggin's" sweetheart, played by lovely Miss Dee, was one of the passengers aboard the "William Brown", and testified against her sweetheart because he had condemned her brother, a deserter from the British Navy, to follow the ill-starred vessel to the bottom. The outcome of this strange trial is as amazing as is the story itself, true though it be. Suffice it to say that the whole goes to make up one of the most satisfying motion pictures this reviewer has ever seen.

George Raft as "Powdah", hard-boiled pal of Captain Taylor, is little less than superb in his performance. So are all the rest of the splendid cast. Olympe Bradna, who came to Hollywood to dance and surprised the film capital by the way she has handled dramatic roles adds another step toward real stardom through her performance in this epic.

"Souls at Sea" was directed by Henry Hathaway, famed among other things, for his "Lives of a Bengal Lancer". The story was re-written from actual court reports by Grover Jones, well-known writer of sea stories, and is blessed with some excellent music, prepared by Bernard Kaun, noted composer, and the celebrated music team of Robin and Rainger.

Gary Cooper and George Raft in "Souls at Sea" at Pathe

"THE HIGH COMMAND"

At The Excelsior

The A. B. F. D. release "The High Command" is a commendable picture in many ways. The story of the film is itself one of the best seen on the screen for some time past.

Admittedly for an officer to shoot a civilian during the Irish trouble of 1921 must have been commonplace enough, but to marry his widow, as does Major-General Sir John Sangye needed a lot of living down, especially when a brother officer discovers his secret.

This officer, however, is murdered in later years by a West African commercial magnate who believes his wife to be in love with him. Eventually the murderer is discovered, but not before several unsavoury details have been unearthed and Sangye has been suspected.

Lionel Atwill gives one of the most compelling performances of his career whilst his co-star, Lucie Mannheim is charmingly impressive as the pretty wife of the Nigerian trader who is responsible for the murder. The supporting cast, headed by Steve Grey, Tom Gill, Wally Patch, Leslie Perrins and James Mason, is excellent. The picture was produced by Gordon Wellesly and is ably directed by Thorold Dickinson.

Exteriors for the picture were obtained with the co-operation of local Nigerian authorities and of the British Resident, and provide many pleasing backgrounds.

"High Command" at the Excelsior.

"PARNELL"

At The Wellington

The tensely human story of a love that effected nations is drawn vividly in the fictional drama of "Parnell, Uncrowned King of Ireland," which Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer offers at the Wellington, this week, with Clark Gable and Myrna Loy in the starring roles.

Directed by John Stahl, from the original stage play by Elsie T. Schauffler, the screen adaptation was written by John Van Druten and closely follows the spectacular career of Charles Stewart Parnell who found a great love more powerful than a great cause.

Gable and Miss Loy are superb in their respective roles as the fiery Irish leader and the beautiful Katie O'Shea, whom he loves beyond any fame or fortune that political power might bring.

"Parnell," as it is here presented, becomes international, although it remains essentially Irish, of course. But always, it is the dramatic love story of a striking individual and a gorgeous woman presented with supreme artistry

The supporting cast is one of the most impressive ever assembled for a picture. Included are Edna May Oliver, Billie Burke, Alan Marshall, Edmund Gwenn, Donald Crisp, Berton Churchill Donald Meek and others. In addition there is a spectacular group of native Irish who add realistic colour to the scenes.

The story describes the historical rise of Parnell, who was the only man ever to unite the 86 members of the Irish Party in a struggle for Home Rule. His love of Katie O'Shea, a married woman, the scandal which results when her estranged husband, Willie O'Shea, divorces her, and the collapse of Parnell's political career, are closely followed with all of their dramatic qualities.

"Parnell" will stir the audience to a high pitch of enthusiastic applause. In the opinion of some the picture will rank among the outstanding films of 1937.

"LOST HORIZON"

Capra's Sensational Triumph At The Palace

One of the most remarkable pictures to come out of Hollywood, "Lost Horizon", Columbia's glorious screen version of James Hilton's adventure-packed, record-breaking novel of the same name, has come to The Palace this week to thrill its patrons with a screen delight of the most unusual type. It is the crowning achievement of Hollywood's brilliant genius, Frank Capra, the producer of "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town" and other super pictures, who in this mighty production sets a new brilliant peak in screen entertainment.

The story concerns five persons who are kidnapped in an airplane in China, and flown deep into the heart of Forbidden Tibet. Picked up by a mystic and elderly Chinese, they are escorted to an unusually mysterious place the lamasery of Shangri-La. Here, closeted securely by mountains impenetrable to the uninitiated, is a setting of indescribable beauty, and serenity, peopled by members of the strangest cult of modern times. Romance and adventure fall to the bewildered victims, and soon, all but one surrender to the utter contentment and rare loveliness that is Shangri-La.

Ronald Colman plays the leading role, and the supporting cast includes Ed. Ev. Horton, H. B. Warner and others. This marvellous production has been dedicated to "India and her timeless civilization" and it is one of those rare pictures that everybody must see.

"Borneo", Twentieth Century Fox picture is shown this week at the Capitol.

"ELEPHANT BOY" AT BROADWAY

A new and remarkable boy star is introduced in "Elephant Boy," which Alexander Korda is presenting at the Broadway, Kingsway, Khodadad Circle, Dadar, this week.

He is Sabu, a 13-year-old Indian lad who was discovered in India by Robert Flaherty, co-director of the film, working in the Maharaja's elephant stables.

Elephant Boy "is rare and restful entertainment, right off the beaten track. The story, based on "Toomai of the Elephants", one of Rudyard Kipling's "Jungle Book" yarns, tells of a little Indian boy, son of a mahout, who dreams of the day when he, too, will become a great elephant driver like his famous grandfather, the renowned "Toomai of the Elephants."

Little Toomai's father is killed, and the boy mourns with Kala Nag, his favourite elephant, a giant tusker. Kala Nag attacks his new driver and runs riot. Fearing disaster, Petersen Sahib, the white hunter, decides to shoot the huge beast. But little Toomai boldly approaches his elephant friend and soothes him.

Owing to a misunderstanding Toomai runs away with Kala Nag into the jungle that night. Petersen leads a party in search of them. Toomai is found utterly exhausted but he bears news of an enormous herd of elephants in the vicinity. A stockade is built, beaters are hastily assembled and there follows an exciting round-up which more elephants are caught than have ever been known before. And the happy boy returns to camp proudly riding Kala Nag not as little Toomai but as Toomai of the Elephants.

The elephant drive provides a thrilling climax to a magnificent picture. Seldom has such realism been captured by camera. It is the rare sort of film which provides excellent entertainment for the entire family.

The film was nearly three years making, two of which were spent on locale India.

Programme also includes Silly Symphony and other interesting films

"Elephant Boy" at Broadway this week.

"THE GALLOPING GHOST"

Stirring Action Serial At The Edward

"The Galloping Ghost", Mascot's amazing adventure serial, will be shown fully in each show at The Edward this week. It stars a very interesting new screen personality, Red Grange, who in this picture is introduced to the public for the first time as an all round master athlete. This brilliant new star possesses versatility and is as competent in any branch of athletics as he is in football;; and probably football has never know a greater player than him.

The supporting cast is unusually good, including half a dozen favourites of serial and feature attractions. Dorothy Gulliver, prettier than ever, plays opposite Grange, working bravely with him in some of his most dangerous stunts. Walter Miller brilliantly plays the villain of the story Others include Francis X Bushman and Gwen Lee.

The story concerns the heroic efforts of dashing and courageous sportsman to detect and expose the mysterious leader of a band of crooked gamblers. In course of this the hero, Grange, has to undergo great hardships and struggles including many breadth-taking adventures and fights in the air, which stamp him out amongst the foremost stunt actors of the screen.

'ACTION FOR SLANDER'

At The New Empire

An important cast of players headed by Clive Brook, Ann Todd, and Margaretta Scott appears in Victor Savill's latest London Film "Action For Slander," commencing to-day the New Empire Theatre. This is a story based on Mary Borden's dramatic best seller novel.

The screen adaptation has been done by Miles Malleson and Ian Dalrymple

Clive Brook plays the part of Major George Daviot and Ann Todd is his wife, while Margaretta Scott plays Mrs Bradford "the other woman." Morton Selten, fresh from his brilliant characterisation as Burleigh in "Fire over England", has a magnificent role as Judge Trotter. Percy Marmont, famous actor from silent days plays Cowbit. An important supporting role is played by Gus McNaughton as batman to Clive Brook

Fashions for this film were designed by Strassner and the art direction was in charge of Frederick Pusey.

"Action For Slander" is the first major picture of Denham Studios' new production schedule.

"Action for Slander" at New Empire.

"BORNEO"

At The Capitol

From the island of primitive ferocity, legendary with the terror of wild men and Dyak pirates of head-hunters, of unexplored waterways that twist through impenetrable wilderness, of inconceivable marvels strange to the eyes of man, comes Martin Johnson's last and most exciting adventure, "Borneo" 20th Century-Fox release which opens to-day at the Capitol Theatre.

"Borneo" is the pictorial climax of Martin Johnson's adventurous career. Filmed in the land of the incredible, the inconceivable and the impossible, it is the strangest and most exciting motion picture yet to come from the dark, mysterious byways of unknown worlds. Far up the winding, muddy reaches of the Kunibatanaan River Martin and Osa Johnson flew in their amphibian plane to bring back a record of the animals which inhabit that remote land of the descendants of the head-hunters. The strange, almost unbelievable sights they saw and photographed make "Borneo" a never-to-be-forgotten epic of the jungles.

For the first time in motion pictures, fish are shown leaving a receding river, creeping up the bank, and climbing the branches of trees growing along the shore, pushing themselves along with strong fins and an occasional flap of the tail.

There is the first motion picture evidence of proboscis monkeys—animals with more nose per face than any other two-legged creatures, the rarest of the rare, never kept alive in any civilized zoo. Flying snakes, of which all past stories had been considered as legendary, are actually shown flying from the trees while panic-stricken natives run to escape their venomous-fangs. But these are not the only strange sights in the land teeming with fantastic life

The Johnsons also brought back a camera record of the real wild men of Borneo, who delight in the gruesome pursuit of human heads; of Murut men, blowing sudden death from their slim blowguns on darts tipped with vemon and of the giant orang-outan; "devil-beast" of the jungle, fighting a desperate three-day battle against a hundred natives, and hurling tree-top defiance at the "thunder bird" roaring out of the sky. Truman Talley supervised the editing of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson's production. Lowell Thomas, famous commentator of screen and radio and "Professor" Lew Lehr narrated. Lew Lehr and Russell Shields wrote the continuity

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OUR READERS' VIEWS

Textile Labour Inquiry Committee

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—The Congress Ministry has done a wise thing in appointing a committee to inquire into the claims of textile labour as it found itself between the devil and the deep sea in giving its considered verdict on the matter. The inquiry and the conclusions of the committee will dispel the gloom of some and confirm the tolerable realities. That, however, does not deny a 'healthy and tolerable living' to the labour. The Congress Government is pledged to it. Now it is to be thought over how it can be achieved by sustaining the industry in the Bombay Presidency which locates more than half the mills of India and produces three-fourths of the cotton goods manufactured in India.

The way for providing a healthy and decent living to the labour lies in providing cheap houses, staple provisions at cost, cheaper canteens, free workmen's outfits and their regular washing and healthy amusements at nominal cost and reduction of working hours of women workers. These can be provided by the co-operation of Government, Municipalities and the mill-owners. Government can build labour colonies by providing free land and money grants each year as they are doing in the case of village water supply. The Municipalities can spare their taxes on such tiny houses and supply their amenities free of charge. The employers can provide provisions at cost, free workmen's outfits and healthy recreations at nominal cost and reduce the working hours of female labour with no inconvenience. Such things are being done by some of the bigger mills in Madras and a few in the Bombay Presidency to the mutual benefit of such mills and the labour working there. But insufficient capital of many of our mills in the Bombay Presidency has hindered them from venturing into any of these activities.

The aggregate result of the things mentioned above will achieve the same object healthy and peaceful living for labour with no crushing burden on any one party and at the same time satisfying the legitimate rights of both labour and capital I hope the above will find a hearing in the warring and apparently conflicting wings of the industry.—Yours, etc.

G. B. DESHPANDE.
Secunderabad.

Mr. Patil's Statement

To The Editor of The "Chronicle",

Sir,—Mr. S. K. Patil's apologia for his conduct in the Corporation in not voting for Mr. Masani's amendment is so tame and lame that it would have been better if he had admitted that he and the other three or four who acted under his unfortunate guidance had made a bad error of judgment.

Mr. Patil knows perfectly well that even in the Sub-Committee there was a difference of opinion and Mr. Masani on the one side and Mr. M. N. Talpade on the anti-Congress side had written minute of dissent to the drafting Sub-Committee's Report. It was clear, therefore, from the beginning that there could not be any non-controversial or unanimous Address.

In any case, once the amendment was moved, it was the clear duty of every genuine Congressman unhesitatingly to speak and vote for the amendment. Instead of doing this, Mr. Patil made a speech which astonished even non-Congressmen who had expected something better from the Secretary of the B. P. C. C. and his deplorable lead was followed by Messrs. Nagindas Master, Ganpathishanker Desai Mathuradas Tricumjee and Professor K. T. Shah.

Mr. Patil tries to make out that the amendment was bound to be defeated because of the reactionary composition of the Corporation to-day. That is a false suggestion. The voting of Mr. Masani's amendment which was lost by 8 votes shows that if Congressmen had done their duty, even non-Congressmen were prepared to support the amendment. Among those non-Congressmen who voted for the amendment in spite of the surprising attitude of the B.P.C.C. office-bearers, were Messrs. Dahanukar, Mahmadbhoy Rowjee, Dr. Mrs. Malinibai Sukhthanker, Messrs. Punjabhai Thackersey, R. A. Gole, Vasant S. Velinker and even Dr. M. C. Javle. I make bold to say that if these five Congressmen had done their duty, other non-Congressmen who abstained, would have made up their minds to support the amendment and it would have been carried with the greatest ease. The entire responsibility for the defeat of the amendment lies on the shoulders of Mr. Patil and the Congressmen who preferred to abstain from voting.

I am perfectly confident, Sir, that no member of the public or Congressman will be taken in by Mr. Patil's laboured defence. As between Messrs. S. K. Patil, Ganpathishanker Desai, Nagindas Master, Mathuradas Tricumjee and Prof. K. T. Shah on one side and such Congressmen as Mrs. Lilavati Munshi, Dr. G. V. Deshmukh, and Messrs. K. F. Nariman, M. R. Masani and Jethmal Narandas on the other who voted for the amendment, the public will be able to judge who was right and who was wrong. It is characteristic of Mr. Patil to suggest that people like Dr. G. V. Deshmukh, Mrs. Lilavati Munshi, Mr. K. F. Nariman and others followed a mistaken course while these five worthies alone knew what was worthy of the occasion. If the Corporation to-day is a reactionary body, it is largely due to the fact that on most vital issues Mr. Patil and the other office-bearers of the B.P.C.C. have been throwing their weight in the Corporation on the reactionary side. Mr. Patil will have to try again if he wants the public to understand the motives with which he and his four colleagues acted, otherwise the public will be entitled to draw their own conclusions as to the reasons which must have caused these five gentlemen to sit on the fence on such a crucial issue.—Yours etc.,

J. C. MERCHANT.
Ardeshir Dady St.,
Bombay No. 4.
December. 2.

Cricket Club Of India

To The Editor of "The Chronicle,"

Sir,—The Princes of India and the sporting public must see that the Cricket Club of India proves a huge success by pooling their combined resources. There are many things to be wished for but it would be too much to expect the institution to satisfy every individual requirements.

However, there is a general complaint as to the scale of Club House subscriptions levied from Life Members and Ordinary Members. Life Members unlike any other Clubs and Institutions or Gymkhanas are made liable to pay the same monthly subscriptions of Rs. 7, like Ordinary Members except that the Ordinary Member has to pay an extra annual subscription of Rs. 15. The distinction is too meagre and the privileges enjoyed are identically the same. It is but fair that at least the old Life Members like Founder Members should not be made to pay any monthly subscription, but since they must it should be a very nominal levy.

I hope the Club Committee will reconsider their decision and remove the present anomaly.—Yours, etc.,

B. H. DAROOWALLA.
Dec. 3.

Help China

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—The starting of the Mayor's China Relief Fund is no doubt welcome to every Indian. But is this enough? Unless energetic steps are taken to collect funds, the contribution will not be what it should be. This is a cause which should be taken up by the Congress in the name of humanity and morality. The cause is not China's alone. I make bold to say that it is for the peace of India and of the world that every effort should be made to help China and crush her outrageous enemy.

Does India realise what the victory of Japan over China means and what will be its far reaching consequences?

I summarise them below:

(a) It would be a victory of political marauders over innocent people

(b) A victory of wrong over right

(c) A gross and shameless defiance of international law

(d) An example that might is right.

(e) It would show that our modern civilisation and the so-called League of Nations are impotent and that instead of advancing the happiness of mankind they make it more miserable than ever before.

(f) The victory of Japan will have far-reaching consequences.

(g) It will disturb the peace of Europe and Asia.

(h) It will be a positive menace to India.

(i) A victorious Japan with her Empire extended in all directions would threaten the freedom and even the very existence of India. On the slightest pretext or even no pretext whatsoever she would invade India. And what can India do against this powerful foe when poor China with her fifty millions is almost helpless.

India! awake. You are looked upon as an impotent nation but now is the time to show what you are and what you can do. You may be impotent as regards material weapons but are you not possessed of a far more valuable and effective weapon—your pure soul—and its far-reaching moral force. Exert this and see how it crushes the villainous foe.

Congress leaders! rise to the occasion and do your best in the cause of right. Send your emissaries to every nook and corner of India to collect funds and exhort people to pray for the success of China which means of right over wrong. Let there be a day and time appointed when every soul in India should pray with a pure heart in his respective temple and church for the success of right over wrong. Who can doubt the spiritual effect of this joint moral force.

Another most powerful and effective weapon to curb and subdue Japan is boycott. A most stringent boycott should be imposed against Japan in all possible ways. There is not the slightest doubt that Japan can never survive a real boycott of everything Japanese.

India! do your best in the cause of right and save yourself and the world from the great calamity of a victory for Japan and earn world wide fame.—Yours, etc.,

R. C. De VITRE.

POINTS FROM LETTERS

They Go Unhonoured!

"A REJOICER" rejoices over the recent abolition of the Benches of Honorary Magistrates in the Presidency.

A Rural Boon

"FAIRPLAY" (Shiroda) welcomes Government's proposals to institute Panchayats in all villages of the Presidency. From his personal experience of his district the correspondent feels sure that the proposal will prove a boon particularly to the litigant public.

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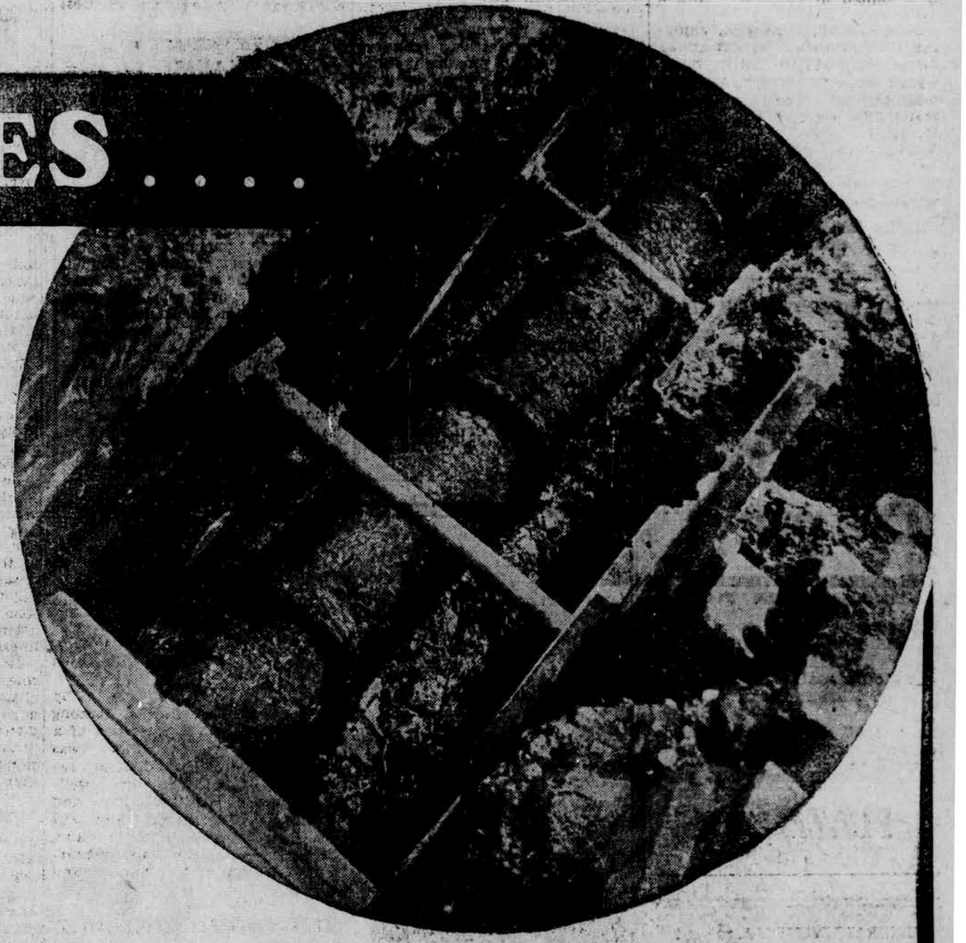

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Indians In Berlin Celebrate Ramzan Festival

Impressive Gathering Demonstrates Hindu-Muslim Unity

(From A Special Correspondent)
BERLIN.

A short time ago the Indian Students Club arranged an observance of the Festival of Dasara, which was celebrated with great pomp. The entire Indian colony as well as many Germans attended. It was an occasion when all Indians were united. Immediately afterwards, on November 3, the Islamic community in Berlin sponsored an observance of the Ramzan Festival, which was held at the Hotel, Kaiserhof, one of the largest and most beautiful hotels in Berlin. The inner understanding and union between the Muslims and the Hindus were demonstrated at this gathering, in such a way that it formed a living actuality for members of the European press. If the Indians in India draw as a moral that they might also sponsor mutual festivals and attend them together, then the object of writing this report is fulfilled. It goes without saying that the German public, including a proportionate number of important personages, take interest in oriental festivals, for there are always many prominent Germans who attend these festivals and follow them with great interest. Among those who were present at this latest gathering might be mentioned Ambassador von Hentig, Privy Councillor Katzenberger, General Consul, Dr. Walter, all from the German Foreign Office; Herr Knotne and Herr Baron from the Propaganda Ministry, as well as many other well-known people, including Captain von Pastau, von Jannasch, General von Schwarz, Director Chirine Bey, Kirta Ram Dr. Dhawan and others.

TRIBUTE TO JAWAHAR

Mr. Habibur Rahman, general secretary of the Islamic Association in Berlin, referred to the Palestine problem in his introductory talk, making several pertinent and factual statements to the effect that the Islamic world would under no circumstances tolerate an independent Jewish State in Palestine. He brought especially to the attention of the Islamic Union the debt of gratitude that the whole Islamic world owes to Pandit Nehru as well as our Hindu brothers who have interceded so energetically in coping with the Palestine situation.

The speaker touched on the activity of the Hindu brethren and especially of Pandit Nehru, who have done all in their power to bring about the solution of the Palestine problem.

Mr. Safti was the next speaker. On December 4, the Islamic Association, which is the only Muslim organisation in Berlin, will sponsor an observance of the great festival of Idul Fittr, under the patronage of the Egyptian Minister, Professor Nachat Pascha. The Berlin Indian Colony will join in celebrating this event regardless of faith or creed, and in full democracy.

AGA KHANIS THANK BOMBAY CABINET

For Appointment Of New Sheriff Of City

BOMBAY, December 3.

It is understood that the President and members of the Shia Imami Ismaili Council of H H. the Aga Khan have on behalf of themselves and the followers of His Highness conveyed their thanks to the Prime Minister of Bombay and his Cabinet for having appointed Mr. Mahomedbhoy I. M. Rowji, who is the Chief Vazir of His Highness and a most distinguished member of the community, as the Sheriff of Bombay.—A. P.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

Bombay Programme

VUB 244 m. 1,231 kcs

A.M.—

8-0 Habib Khan of Gudiani. Khayal. 8-15 A VUB artist. Bhairav on Jaltarang. 8-20 Lahanu Nagpure—Film Songs. 8-40 Habib Khan.

Noon. 12-0 "Playlets".

P.M.—

12-30 "Prem-Geets". 12-45 "Giridhar-Geets". 1-0 Market rates and announcements. Programme of gramophone records. 5-30 "Kya-Shoon-Kai". 5-45 Chamber music. Tipnis, flute; Masute, Jalatarang; J. Shah, Bulbul Tarang. 6-0 S. K. Joshi of Satara. 6-30 News in Marathi. 6-35 To the Bhumijan. 7-30 Commercial news. 7-40 Talk (Gujerati). "Some celebrated inventors".—A. G. Bell—By: Kapila Khandwalla. 7-55 Prof. Narayanrao Vyas. 8-45 News in Hindustani. 9-0 News in English. 9-15 Grace Belcourt—Violin. 9-25 Harold Williams—Baritone. 9-30 Grace Belcourt—Violin (continued.). 9-45 Talk (English): "Down to the sea in ships". Life in a submarine in war. By Capt. H. S. Flynn. 10-0 The Carnell Sisters—Duettists. 10-20 Million airs—Entertainers. 10-40 Virji sisters—Piano duets.

Delhi Programme

SATURDAY, 4TH DECEMBER
VUD 340.13 metres. 882 kcs

A.M.—

8-0 Vatsala Bai Kumteka. Khayal noniki Kaura Bilampat. Khayal naiki Kaura Durat. 8-20 Master Madan. Bhairvin on Jaltarang. 8-30 Bhishin Dev Chatterjee. Classical and light music. 8-55 AIR Orchestra—Gokal Bilawal. 9-0 Master Madan. 9-10 News (Eng.) 9-20 News (Hind.) 9-30 Vatsala Bai Kumtekar. 9-50 Bhishin Dev Chatterjee. Classical and light music. 10-10 Master Madan. Jaunpuri on Jaltarang. 10-20 B. S. Rawat.

P.M.—

12-30 "Ham Bhi Hain". A programme for women. In women's world—News in Hindustani. 12-35 Amateur music. By Rekha Sen. 12-40 Talk: "Status of women through the ages". By Prem Devi. 12-50 Amateur music. By Rekha Sen. 1-0 Indian music. 1-30 Songs and solos. 5-0 B. S. Rawat. 5-15 Sitar, sarangi and tabla. 5-25 Bhishm Dev Chatterjee. Classical and light music. 5-50 Vatsala Bai Kumtekar. Marathi geet. 6-10 Master Madan. Aiman Kalyan on jaltarang. 6-20 Feroze Nizami. Khayal, Bhimpalasi, Ghazal and Behzad. 6-50 Master Madan. Bhajan. 7-0 "For villagers only". 8-0 Humorous sketches (Hindustani). By D. S. Mathur. 8-15 Bhisham Dev Chatterjee. Classical and light music. 8-35 Vatsala Bai Kumtekar, Bihag Bilampat, Bihag Durat. 8-55 Feroze Nizami, Khayal Bhageshwari Bilampat, Khayal, Bhageshwari Durat, Ghalib, Sindhbad Jahazi. 9-15 News and weather (Hind.) 9-30 News and weather (Eng.) 9-45 European music. 10-0 Talk (English): 'Sport review'. By S. K Bose. Performed by AIR Artist 10-15 Master Madan. Handel Jaltarang. 10-25 Bhisham D Chatterjee. Classical and light sic 10-35 "Roiyat-i-Hilal". A play in Hindustani. By Fazal-i-Haque rformed by AIR Artists. 10-50 Vatsala Bai Kumtekar—Ghazal.

Calcutta Programme

All transmissions will be on VUC 370.4 metres, 810 kcs. and 49.10 metres, 6.109 kcs. (Add 24 minutes to all timings for Calcutta time.)

P.M.—

12-36 "Columbia" Selections. Calcutta weather bulletin for ocean and rivercraft. 1-36 Recital of vocal music. 2-6 Talk: "Masons of Modern Bengal". No. 1. Keshab Sen and Social Welfare. By K. S. Ghosh. 2-21 Vocal music. Chhaya Devi Chatterjee—Kavya sangit. 2-36 Jotirmoyee Ghose—Sadhan Sangit. 2-51 Debesh Ch. Bagchi—Adhunik. 5-6 For the rural areas. 5-36 Sitar solo. 5-51 Classico modern song. Mrinal Kanti Ghose. 6-11 Kavya sangit. Abhavaty. 6-31 Ganer Dali. (Containing lyric songs, bhajan, sadhan sangit.) Prepared by Haren Chatterjee. 7-16 Jantri Sangha. Selected tunes. Conducted by S. L. Das. 7-31 Kheyal (A Kalyan variety) and Tappa Bhishmadev Chatterjee. 7-51 Talk: "Primary Education and women". By Ajit Kumar Ghosh. 8-6 News and Weather. (Ben.) 8-21 Ghazals. Hashmat of Gwalior. 8-41 Naat and Qawwali. Hari Radharany. 9-1 Commercial news and weather (Eng.). 9-6 News and announcements. 9-21 Light orchestral selections. 9-36 A non-stop cabaret. By Ilsa Loritta and her Orchestra.

Mysore Programme

(No Broadcast.)

The University of Lucknow have nominated Dr. Radhakumud Mukherji, Head of the Department of History, as their delegate for the 14th session of the Indian Historical Records Commission to be held at Lahore on December 13 and 14 next.

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"100 MEN AND A GIRL"

(Continued from Page 10.)

provoking things that it would take another half column to describe them. The direction gives "100 Men and A Girl" a vital human quality. Henry Koster, director, and Joseph Pasternak, producer, who made "Three Smart Girls," are responsible.

"THIEF OF BAGDAD"

At The Palace on Sunday Morning

"Thief of Bagdad" or "Sulemani Shetranji," one of the most popular and sensational pictures of the silent days, returns to the Palace for the morning shows tomorrow in a new and changed form. It has been synchronised with sound effects by Wadia Movietone and contains some enchanting songs and dances in Hindi. Douglas Fairbanks, probably the most popular and outstanding screen personality of that time, plays the leading role and gives a performance of sheer brilliance. He is ably supported by a cast that includes Anna May Wong amongst others

CIRCULAR TO LOCAL BODIES

Deletion Of A Sentence Re-Civil Disobedience

The Director of Information, Bombay writes:—

It will be recalled that the Government of Bombay issued the following circular to all local bodies on 19th July, 1930:—

"Government desire to remind Municipalities and other local bodies that they have been created not only to train the people in the art of local self-government but also to relieve Government of the direct administration of certain matters of mainly local interest. Local bodies are therefore an integral part of the system of administration. That system can only continue to function if the various subordinate authorities on which administrative duties have been devolved work in harmony with Government and co-operate with it in carrying on the administration.

"Recently a tendency has been observed on the part of some local bodies to support or publicly express sympathy with the advocates of Civil Disobedience or the promoters of movements directed against the authority of Government

"Government wish to make it clear that it will be impossible for them to continue to afford assistance from the public revenues to local bodies which commit themselves to lines of action which are likely seriously to affect those revenues or withhold that loyal co-operation with Government in the discharge of their duties without which the work of general administration must suffer. They are most reluctant to curtail in any way the benefits for which local bodies and through them the public depend on them, but if in any case such action becomes necessary, they hope that the electorate will understand that it is the consequence of returning to local bodies persons who are likely to commit them to objectionable courses of action."

The Government has now directed that the following sentence in the above circular should be deleted:—

"Recently a tendency has been observed on the part of some local bodies to support or publicly express sympathy with the advocates of Civil Disobedience or the promoters of movements directed against the authority of Government."

Electrical Wiremen Association

(From A Correspondent)

RAJKOT, Dec. 1.

Rajkot has taken a lead by founding an Association for the Electrical Wiremen, which is the first of its kind in this country. The Association comes into existence through strenuous efforts of Rai Saheb Das, the Managing Engineer and Mr. Sumant Kothary, Representative of the G.E.C.

This body is meant to guard and promote the interests of Electrical Wiremen, who are mere labourers and are being very badly treated by the trading community.

ANDHRA UNIVERSITY'S REQUIREMENTS

Reddy's Appeal To Public

VIZAGAPATAM, Dec. 2.

Dr. C. R. Reddi, Vice Chancellor, Andhra University, Speaking at the Annual Convocation of the University to-day said:

In many respects this Convocation is one of unique importance. Latterly Chancellors have become rare at our functions and this annual academic ceremony is widowed of much its grandeur and impressiveness by such absence. I am therefore very grateful to you, Mr. Chancellor, for having taken Andhra University, speaking at this Convocation.

The University is proud and happy that their Highnesses the Maharaja of Travancore and Maharani Setu Parvathi Bai are here to receive our honorary degree in person. The University is also happy that you, Mr. Chancellor, have secured the right man to address this Convocation, which is the first to be held in what without exaggeration I might characterise as a New Era in the History of India. The presence of the Hon. Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar, our Prime Minister, at this, the first Convocation held in the first year of office acceptance by the Congress, is sure to be acclaimed as artistically appropriate and as inspiring as it is appropriate.

The most important and auspicious event of the year is the donation of one lakh of rupees most graciously sanctioned by H. E. H. the Nizam as a result of an appeal made by me through my friend His Excellency the Right Hon. Sir Akbar Hylari.

It is most unfortunate that though the education given in the Vizagapatam Medical College is admitted to be adequate and our Medical Examination unexceptionable, owing to other considerations relative to the Hospital, the recognition of the Andhra University Medical Degrees has been once again refused by the Indian Medical Council. We are grateful that Government realise their responsibility as founders of the College and its Management and have undertaken to meet the requirements on an adequate and expeditious scale.

My thanks to the present Government cannot stop with this. My complaint of last year that the Government have been unduly postponing taking up the revision of the Andhra University Act, no longer holds good. The present Government have without any delay been good enough to promise necessary action and have called for our proposals though of course, the right of final determination of the measure belongs to them and the Legislature.

Proceeding the Vice-Chancellor said: the most urgent requirements of the Andhra University at present are the following:—

Lands. A Natural Science College. Organisation of a Department of Sanskrit and other Oriental Studies. A College for Women. A Senate House and Administrative buildings. An Assembly Hall etc.

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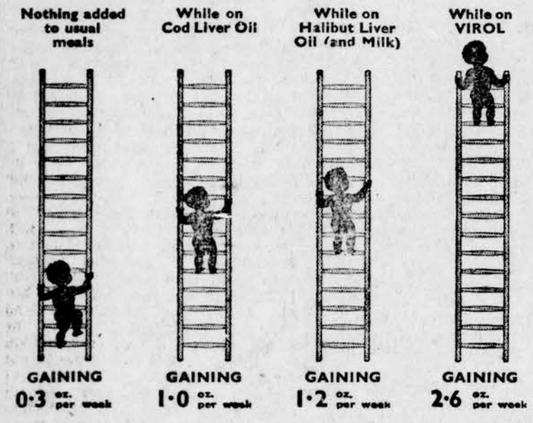
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BRANCHES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALL OVER INDIA.

Formation Of Kisan Unions Opposed

Mr. Indulal Yagnik, Jt. Secretary All India Kisan Sabha has issued the following to the press:—

I deeply regret to have to draw public attention to a handbill issued over the signature of Messrs Dhanaji Nanaji Chowdhary and Ganabhirarai A. Chahwan two Congress M.L.A's. elected from East Khandesh Dist. denouncing the formation of Peasants' Unions in the district as undesirable and warning peasants from joining them.

This hand-bill is noteworthy in many respects.

Firstly, the two leaders holding responsible Congress offices have not issued it on behalf of Congress organisation but purely in their individual capacity. Evidently they were afraid of pitting up the Congress as an organisation against the Kisan Sabha.

Secondly, these esteemed gentlemen have only recently presided over Peasants' or political Conferences which have adopted resolutions favouring the formation of separate Peasants' Unions. By subsequently opposing the formation of such unions they have shown a woeful lack of democratic responsibility towards peasants represented at their conferences.

Thirdly Messrs. Choudhary and Chahwan have consciously or unconsciously acted in contravention of the well-known resolutions of the Karachi and Faizpur Congress. For both these sessions specifically demanded the recognition of separate unions of Peasants and workers. It passes my understand how any loyal Congressman can dare to say a word against the very formation of any Peasants Unions.

Lastly, their own Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee has but recently decided to accord functional representation to Peasants' Union is the province. How then could any Congressman oppose the formation of Peasants' Unions which would be entitled to send delegates to the district and provincial Congress Committee?

Thus have these two worthies blundered woefully. They have rendered a distinct disservice to the cause of the Kisans and the Congress at this juncture.

The Congress no doubt seeks to serve the peasants and workers. But may I remind the authors of this handbill that the Congress has been more correctly described by many Congress Presidents as representative of landlords and landholders, Sahukars and Merchants, employers and employed, peasants and workers in fact of all the classes of the Indian Nation. Thus the Congress being a multi-class organization has specifically recognized more than once the necessity of single class organizations to voice the genuine grievances and demands of the peasants and workers.

May I say in conclusion that injurious and misleading as the handbill is, it has been issued at a most inopportune moment. East Khandesh is to-day the scene of an election contest between a Congress candidate Mr. Wadekar and an independent professedly peasant candidate Mr. Rane. The local Peasants' Unions true to the policy of the All India Kisan Sabha are to-day engaged in carrying on a whirlwind propaganda in favour of the Congress candiate. Any attempt at this moment to create a schism between the Congress and the the interests of the Congress at the election.

I appeal to the local Kisan workers not to be provoked and swayed by this obnoxious handbill from their straight path of duty towards the Congress candidate. I would also request the Congress authorities of Maharashtra to warn these two M.L.A.'s against the errors of their ways and withdraw the handbill immediately.

his numerous admirers.

CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION

Deputation To Wait On Premier And Home Member

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Bombay Civil Liberties Union was held at the Servants of India Society's Hall on 1st December. The meeting Resolved that a deputation consisting of Messrs. N M Joshi, R P Masani, S A Brelvi, R R Bakhale, and N H Pandya with Mr. Joshi as the spokesman, should wait upon the Prime Minister and the Home Member to convey to them the views of the Bombay Civil Liberties Union on the use of the Criminal Law (Amendment) Act at Sholapur and Ahmedabad."

The Executive Committee will meet again on Saturday at 4-0 P.M. (S. T.) to resume the adjourned discussion of the last meeting. The items on the agenda include the firing at Dharavi, promulgation of Section 144 at Sholapur and Ahmedabad.

NEGUS LIVES IN PENURY

But Is Optimistic Still About His Future

LONDON, (By Air Mail).

Emperor Haile Selassie, living in comparative penury, spends most of his time in fasting and prayer.

It was revealed in the "Daily Telegraph" and the "Morning Post" last week, that the Emperor wished to sell his house, "Fairfield," in the suburbs of Bath, and move to a small establishment more in keeping with his straitened means, since most of the proceeds of the sales of the bullion he brought to England are being sent out to help the Abyssinian refugees in Palestine and British Somaliland.

AMAZING OPTIMISM

One of his friends said: "His optimism regarding his future is amazing and has grown lately. He spends much of his time in prayer—the conservatory at Fairfield has been consecrated—and there are usually four Coptic priests in residence.

"The whole household observes two fast days each week, during which no meat is eaten."

The Emperor also spends much of his time revising his autobiography, which he is anxious to have published in England and the United States. He has written the book in French, and his Secretary, Sirdar Herouy, who speaks good English, spends hours each day writing a translation from sheets of paper covered with the Emperor's handwriting.

CONSPICUOUS FIGURE.

The Emperor himself is by far the most healthy. While the Empress rarely leaves the house, he takes a daily promenade.

He walks down the hill to the Bath-Bristol Road, a conspicuous figure in his black cloak and bowler hat, apparently impervious to the most bitter wind. A small white terrier which accompanied him into the trenches before Addis Ababa fell is at his heels wherever he goes.—United Press.

OUR PERIODICALS

"Indian Student"

The second number of the 'Indian Student,' which is the quarterly organ of the Federation of the Indian Student Societies in Great Britain and Ireland, is an attractive publication, and will be read with interest not only in England but also in this country. It may be remembered that this journal has already been the subject of a parliamentary interpellation, and the editorial comments on the episode are very lively. A number of messages from prominent personalities welcoming this publication are published in the present issue. All the articles in the present number are topical and well written. We are sure that the Indian Student will prove extremely useful to our students in Britain.

"The Aryan Path"

Perhaps the most interesting article in the November issue is "Who is the Dreamer?" by Rufus Suter. W. Van Ravesteyn, a well-known Socialist of Holland, contributes a very topical article in which he analyses the tendencies in modern Germany emerging out of her historical background. The section of book reviews is one of the highlights of this journal, and one can keep oneself very well in touch with the latest philosophical literature by a regular reading of the Aryan Path.

The "Twentieth Century"

"Which Way?" is the intriguing title of the opening article in the November number of this journal. The author, Mr. F. G. Pearce, discusses the conflict of outlook between East and West, and asks, "Can India avoid the fate which to-day faces the West?" Mr. V. Raghavan concludes his very interesting series, on Hindu culture. Mr. Abdul Ghafur's tribute to Sir Ross Masud is as felicitous as it is critical. The study of John Galsworthy by J. L. Roy will also be read with profit and pleasure by

Social Workers' Society's Conference

Under the auspices of the Social Workers' Society, a Social Workers' Conference will be held in February to discuss local social problems. The members of the Society, social workers, and those interested in social problems are earnestly requested to join the Reception Committee.

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BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Civil Appointments

Mr. J. Chaves, Superintendent, Political and Reforms Department, to officiate as Assistant Secretary to Government, Political and Reforms Department, vice Rao Bahadur V. H. Vachhrajani appointed as Deputy Secretary to Government, Political and Reforms Department.

Mr. B. S. Patel, officiating Livestock Expert to Government, on relief by Mr. E. J. Bruen, to be Deputy Director of Agriculture, S. C. D., vice Mr. V. V. Gadgil, reverting.

Mr. L. G. Rajwade, new member of His Majesty's Covenanted Civil Service on the Bombay Establishment, to be Assistant Collector, Belgaum.

Mr. M. S. Moulvi to be Collector vice Khan Bahadur Shaik Yakub Yusir Mahomed, M.B.E., retired.

Khan Bahadur Nur Nabi Ghulam Nabi to be Collector, vice Sahebzada Sardar Mahomed Khan seconded.

Mr. V. S. Sawant, Superintendent of Excise, Dharwar Division, is granted earned leave for thirty days with effect from 5th December 1937.

Mr. K. K. Desai to officiate as Superintendent of Excise, Dharwar Division, vice Mr. Sawant.

Mr. V. D. C. Evans, on completion of his training, to be Assistant Superintendent of Police (on probation), West Khandesh, vice Mr. T. B. Datre transferred.

Mr. N. A. Faruqui, I. C. S., to be Under Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Home Department, and Passport Officer to Government.

Captain H. S. Waters, Presidency Surgeon, Bombay, is granted leave, ex-India, on average pay for eight months, combined with leave on half average pay for three months, with effect from the 6th December 1937, with permission to prefix Sunday the 5th December to the leave.

Captain A. A. Pullar, Assistant to the Civil Surgeon, Poona is appointed to officiate as Presidency Surgeon, Bombay, with attached duties, during the absence on leave of Captain Waters, I. M. S.

Mr. J. J. Asana, B. E. S., to officiate in the special temporary post of Professor of Biology in Bombay Educational Service, Gujarat College, created for the period from the 5th December 1937 to the 28th March 1938.

Dr. D. Penman, C.I.E., F.R.S.E., to be Chief Inspector of Mines for the whole of British India vice Mr. W. Kirby.

Mr. C. C. Hulkoti, District Judge, Ahmednagar, is empowered to hold enquiries into Municipal election cases generally in the Ahmednagar District excluding the Municipal Borough of Ahmednagar.

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'Planes And Not Conferences Will Decide Fate Of China

REPUBLICAN PREMIER'S APPEAL FOR LOAN

Nanking Plan To Prolong War And Exhaust Tokio's Resources

SINGAPORE, (By Air Mail).

"The fall of Shanghai is nothing. If it took Japan three months to take Shanghai, it should take her about thirty years to conquer vast China," said Sah Chen Ping, the former Admiral of the Chinese Imperial Fleet and Republican Prime Minister, who has arrived in Malaya to push the sale of China's Salvation Bonds.

HOW TO END WAR

"If the war is prolonged for another year," continued the Admiral, "Japan's financial and economic position will be rendered very difficult. The Far Eastern Conference at Brussels was of no help to China. It was simply waste of time. No conference can stop the war. It needs aeroplanes to stop the war."

NEED OF 'PLANES

Proceeding further Sah Chen Ping said that if China had about 100 aeroplanes more she could have done wonders. He was not in a position to reveal the present air strength of the Chinese Government, which was a close secret. But he thought that China made a mistake in maintaining too big an army instead of developing a more powerful air force.

"Our object," he said, "is to impede Japan's progress. We will defend our land inch by inch. We have hundreds of thousands of soldiers, who are obedient to Nanking's order and who are willing to stand and die.

CHINESE TACTICS

"The Japanese are anxious to gain a decisive victory within a few days, but we are going to prolong the battle as much as possible."

Sah Chen Ping's mission in Malaya is to appeal for fuller support to China's 500,000,000 Dollar

FOR HINDU TEMPLE AND ASHRAM IN LONDON

Influential All-India Appeal For Rs. 7 Lakhs

A Hindu institution containing a hall for congregational worship with lecture rooms, library, reading rooms and other cultural equipments, for Hindus visiting or residing in London, has been a long-felt want, which it is considered desirable to remove as soon as practicable.

Sometime back a scheme for the establishment in London of an institution to carry out the above objects was seriously taken in hand by Tridandi Swami B. H. Bon of the Gaudiya Mission, Calcutta, and the proposal was received very sympathetically throughout India, and also by eminent statesmen, scholars and thinkers in London, in particular, and Britain in general. Unfortunately, before the scheme was an accomplished fact, the Founder President of the Gaudiya Mission passed away in January last, and it does not seem feasible at present that the work which he had entrusted to Swami Bon as his representative, can be carried out now through the instrumentality of that Mission. In view of it is considered desirable that the control of the scheme should be so reorganised as to enlist the sympathy and support of the leaders of the Hindu community throughout the length and breadth of India. With this object the signatories to this statement had formed themselves into a provisional Board of Trustees, with a view to see to it that the project initiated by the late Founder President of the Gaudiya Mission, through the medium of Swami Bon, is duly given effect to.

TRIPURA'S MUNIFICENCE.

Through the manificence of His Highness Maharaja Sir Bir Bikram Kissore Manikya Bahadur, K. C. S. I., of Tripura State, who has generously promised and signed the donation book to defray the entire cost of building the Temple itself, certain funds have already been assured. There remain, however, the need of further funds for the purchase of land and erection of the other buildings, together with arrangement for central heating, light, furniture and other necessary equipments.

It is therefore that this appeal is being issued by us to the Hindu community in general, and we have no doubt that they will generously respond to it.

In due course a meeting of the provisional trustees will be arranged at some central place to place the new organisation on a firm footing, when office-bearers will be duly chosen. Till then, so that the work may not suffer, Swami Bon—who has already collected and placed to credit of the proposed scheme the sum of Rs. 4,200, has kindly agreed to continue to act as the representative on behalf of the trustees, and is authorised to collect donations and place them to the credit of the proposed trust.

The estimated cost of the proposed institution is about seven lakhs of rupees, which the signatories think is by no means a large sum for the Hindu India to collect easily, for such a desirable institution as the one under contemplation.

All communications should be made with Swami B. H. Bon at 8, Harvey Road, Bombay 7.

SIGNATORIES.

The following are among the signatories to the above appeal:—

Bijay Chand Mahatab (Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan); Rajendra Prasad; Bhulabhai J. Desai, Shyamaprasad Mukherji, Sachchidananda Sinha; S Radhakrishnan; S. B. Tambe; M. B. Jayakar; Har Billas Sarda; T. R. Phookan; P. S. Sivaswami Aiyer; Manmatha Nath Mukherji; H. V. Divatia; M. B. Niyogi; Rupchand Bilaram; Dr. Sita Ram; Basanta Kumar Das; Dr. N. B. Khare; Shri Krishna Sinha; Dr. Kailash Nath Katju; R. S. Shukla; A. B. Latthe; L. M. Patil; Vepa Ramesam; Dr. Dearkanath Mitter; P. R. Das; Jamnadas M. Mehta; and Dr. Gopichand Bhargava.—A. P.

NEW BURDENS ON FILM INDUSTRY

Bombay Motion Picture Producers' Association Protest Against Enhanced Municipal Licence Fees

The President of the Indian Motion Picture Producers' Association, Bombay, has addressed the following representation to the Mayor of Bombay:—

With reference to item No. 47 of the November Agenda of the Corporation, we are constrained to bring to your notice the fact that although licence-fees in respect of various trades, including the cinema trade with which we are mainly concerned, are sought to be raised, none of the trades have been informed about it either by communication or by public advertisement. We submit that this procedure is definitely opposed to the spirit of local self-government. The omnibus but the briefest advertisement in the newspapers of the mere subjects incorporated in the entire November Agenda cannot be construed as sufficient notice to the trade. We obtained the relevent papers, on our own initiative, only on the 10th instant, so that to the cinema trade affected by the proposals the full 7 days' clear notice contemplated by Section 36 (h) of the Municipal Act will expire only on the 18th instant before which date the Corporation are debarred from considering the proposals, at least in so far as they affect the cinema trade of Bombay

DOUBLY TAXED

Coming to the proposals proper, we notice that the film industry is sought to be taxed in two ways. The first is through the interpolation in the present schedule of fees leviable on advertisement, of fees also for illuminated advertisements, boards carried on vehicles or by sandwich boardmen, which amount in effect to a premium on the use of electricity for cinema advertisements, not unlike that levied by the Government of Bombay under their Electricity Duty Act. We do not attach much importance to the actual scales proposed, because the cinema trade can very well do without the type of publicity now sought to be discouraged by the Municipality. We are opposed to them on the principle that in asmuch as the cinema trade is a nocturnal business the concessions afforded to other trades conducted during the day time must be extended to the cinema trade, the peak of which is reached only after sundown and not during the day. If, therefore, the Corporation is imbued by considerations of equity, to which the Commissioner gives expression while proposing the increase in the fees of storage of films, the additions of the two items is not justified, and we hope the Corporation will delete the same.

ENHANCED LICENCE FEE

But we must object with all the emphasis at our command to the enhancement in a progressive scale of the licence fee for storage of cinema films. The substance of the increase is that whereas the trade now pays a maximum of Rs. 50, it will hereafter pay a maximum of Rs. 200, an increase of as many as eight times which is not justified either by the practice of the cinema trade or by the results of the business. The excuse given by the Commissioner in favour of the enhancement is that the maximum fee under the present scale is reached at 500 lb., while the storages in "several" cases are up to 5,000 lb., and that for equity as between small and large concerns it is considered desirable to increase the fee proportionately up to Rs. 200. Allow us to point out that the Commissioner's use of the word "several" is expressive only of the small minority not exceeding 20 per cent. of the licensees, and not of the great majority of 80 per cent. who store no more than approximately 1,000 lb., at any one time, so that the Commissioner's considerations of equity as between the small and large concerns could have been well satisfied by doubling the present maximum of Rs. 50 to Rs. 100—not that we would agree to it—but on no ground to as much as Rs. 200.

But our most serious contention is that there are no grounds whatsoever for increasing the fees. Nothing has happened during the current or the last official year which could warrant the enhancement of the fees. It should be remembered that the fee is levied in pursuance of the preventive obligations as to "sanitary provisions" which must be carried out under the Municipal Act. We should like to know what are the special sanitary provisions of advantage to the film industry which have entailed an extraordinary outlay justifying the increase eight-fold in the licence-fee. As any structure in which films are stored is but a building within the meaning of the Municipal Act, on which the property taxes are liable to be paid, ordinarily speaking, no other fee or tax should be leviable in respect thereof, whatever the purposes for which the structure is used. If it is intended to convey that the films are goods dangerous to life and property the insistence should be on proper storage under fireproof conditions and not on the enhancement of licence-fees.

LEGALITY OF LEVY QUESTIONED

Then there is the paramount aspect of the constitutional legality of the levy of fees, the total collections of which must not in our opinion, exceed the approximate cost of collection and control as to sanitary provisions, will any profit therefrom earned out of revenue considerations would not be constitutional inasmuch as the Corporation can only derive its revenue to carry out its multifarious duties under the Act or to provide its budgetary surplus from the property taxes, from a tax on vehicles and animals, and from town duties, enumerated in Chapter VIII of the Bombay Municipal Act, a point of view which will be confirmed by Counsel. We trust the Corporation will fully assure themselves that the levy of the increased licence fee is so done as to yield no more than the expenses connected with the various occupations and trades sought to be regulated, unlike the present increase which, we have no doubt, will definitely yield higher than the expenses involved in collection and administration thereof.

For the reasons mentioned herein, we have the honour to request that the Corporation should be so good as not to approve of the proposals of the Commissioner confirmed by the Law and Revenue Committees in so far as they concern the cinema trade of the City of Bombay.

A TRIP TO IRELAND

(Continued from Page 6.)

ing questions "vis-a-vis" Britain, the most important of them being Ulster and the tariff war. The cry of political unification of Ireland is still a rallying point for the South and the imposition of tariff on Irish products by Mr. J. H. Thomas as a retaliatory measure has aroused intense bitterness. But the fundamental problems of Ireland are now internal and economic in character and in their rational and comprehensive solution lies the key of Ireland's progress.

A Comparison

Ireland, like India, has been struggling against British imperialism. But its contrasts with India, both politically and economically, are striking. It is not so much a new nation in the making as a new State under construction, it had a parliament and a constitution long ago and its independence has made possible their revival. Its vicinity to England has its advantages as well as drawbacks. On the one hand, England cannot permit Ireland to be attacked or invaded without risk to itself, a point of which full advantage has been taken by Mr. De Valera, who protects Ireland through the British Navy! On the other hand, the complete secession of Ireland would be dangerous from the British view point. Ireland is a small, compact country but, unlike India, it lacks the requisite raw materials for industrial expansion and does not have a large internal trade.

If a national struggle leads to reactions not all of which are desirable, a triumphant nationalism is bound to make mistakes at least in the initial stages. But then have we not always said that self-government means the right to make mistakes? Provided, of course, we learn from them.

FROM an entirely unexpected source—from the "Personal" advertisement column of a newspaper—comes striking proof of the powerful impression made on the minds of the audience by the PRABHAT social film "THE UNEXPECTED". By kind permission of Mr. Ramnarayen, his advertisement in the "TIMES OF INDIA" of Wednesday last, is reproduced above.

NIRMALA—a role lived on the screen by SHANTA APTE—is a young bride of an aging husband and walks gallantly through the fire of persecution in a spirited vindication of woman's right to Love. Her sacrifice is bearing real and visible fruit.

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AND, as against one father thus announcing his transformation through a newspaper, there are presumably scores of others whose change of heart has had no cause to find its way to print.

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Seth Govind Das Meets British Resident In Zanzibar

TALKS ABOUT CLOVE-TRADE SITUATION

Plan To Interview Under-Secretary For Colonies In January

(From A Correspondent.)
ZANZIBAR, November 21.
(By Mail.)

The most enthusiastic and cordial welcome was given to Sheth Govinddas who landed in Zanzibar this morning by s.s. "Tairea".

Hon. Mr. Gulamali, M.L.C., Acting President, Indian National Association, Mr. V. S. Patel, Honorary Secretary, Indian National Association, Mr. Karsandas Gokuldas, Auditor of the Indian National Association, and Committee members of the Indian National Association, Mr. Ebrahim Kassam, Editor, "Zanzibar Voice", received Sheth Govinddas on board the ship.

Welcoming him Hon. Mr. Gulamali, M.L.C., made a short speech tracing history of the connection of Indians with Zanzibar and heartily extending cordial welcome to Sheth Govinddas on behalf of Indians in Zanzibar. Then Sheth Govinddas made a suitable reply and motored to Hon. Mr. Gulamali's residence, where he is staying.

Sheth Govinddas took a round of Zanzibar Island for seeing the Indian settlements and the process of cultivation and preparation of cloves. He lunched with Mr. Papatlal Virji Shah.

At 4 p.m. a crowded public meeting was held under the presidentship of Hon. Mr. Gulamali. Mr. Gulamali introducing Sheth Govinddas paid glowing tribute to Sheth Govinddas' services to his motherland.

PLIGHT OF INDIANS

Sheth Govinddas at the outset thanked the people of Zanzibar for their cordial reception, and traced the history of the long connection of Indians with Africa and Zanzibar. He said up to 1934 there was no trouble in Zanzibar as far as Indians were concerned. The present trouble in clove trade was a part and parcel of the whole African policy, that was driving out Indians from the whole continent. The Indians had rendered various services to the Africans. The Englishmen came to protect the rights of the Indians and now in the name of the rights of the "Natives" they were in reality paving the road for the benefit of Englishmen.

And he was convinced that if adjournment motion in the Indian Legislative Assembly had not been defeated on account of the attitude taken by Mr. Jinnah there would have been a compromise on this question. But let Government not think that because the adjournment motion was defeated and no official embargo is set up, Indian agitation was going to fail. A better method has been found out and that is boycott of the cloves in the whole country. The ultimate salvation depended on their freedom, which was coming closer and closer every day. Sheth Govinddas then traced the history of Indian Independence movement and said that it was not far off when their motherland would be free.

Sheth Govinddas saw the British Resident in company of the Hon. Mr. Gulamali, M.L.C. The interview was of a confidential nature and Sheth Govinddas refused to make any statement.

Sheth Govinddas is sailing for Dar-es-Salaam to-night. He will return to Zanzibar on the 4th of December, when he will visit Pemba.

TO MEET LORD DUFFERIN

He will sail for South Africa from Zanzibar on the 6th December and on his way back to India, in the middle of January, he will again break his journey here, when Lord Dufferin, the Under-Secretary of State for Colonies, is to visit Zanzibar. Sheth Govinddas might see Lord Dufferin regarding the clove-trade deadlock.

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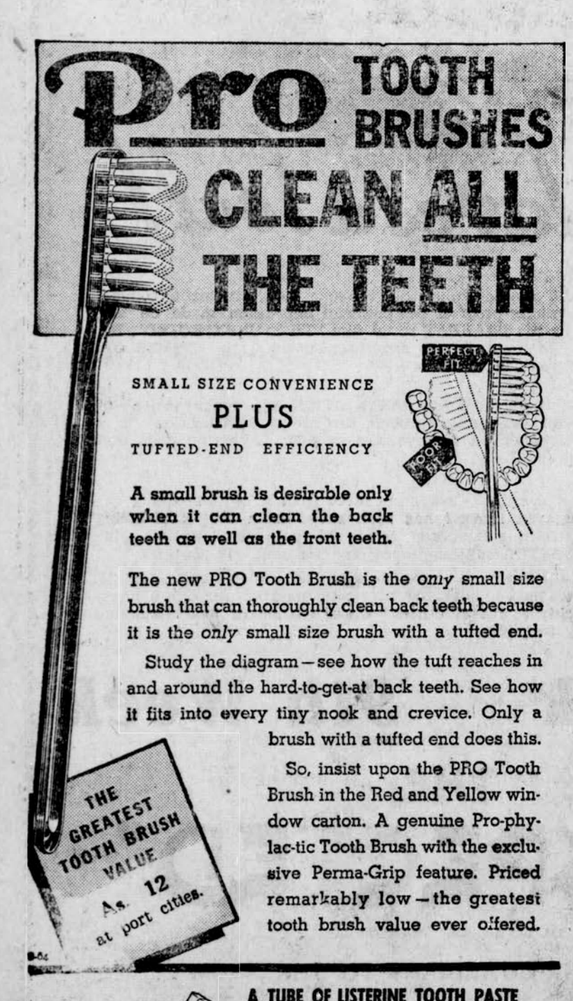

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IRREGULAR PROCEDURE IN TANGANYIKA COURTS

Ex-parte Injunction Given Without Summons To Defendants

A very interesting case came up for hearing before the Chief Justice of Tanganyika in the appeal preferred by Bhowan Walji, Somabhai Dhanjibhai Patel and the Middlemen and Cotton Growers' Society, Ltd., original defendants against the Lake Province Cotton Company, Ltd., for cancellation of the interlocutory injunction granted against the appellants by the Subordinate Judge at Mwanza at Ngudu.

In the original action the plaintiff company claims, inter alia:

That the first and second defendants had entered into an agreement with him to purchase cotton for him;

That the third defendant company rival cotton buyers had induced the first two defendants to break the agreement and to refuse to perform the same, and that as a result of the inducement the first and second defendants have refused to perform the contract, and have entered into an agreement with the third defendant either to purchase cotton for the third defendant or to allow the third defendant the use of their store, and

That by breach of the agreement the plaintiff is suffering and will suffer great damage, inconvenience and irreparable loss

The claim is for an injunction—to restrain first and second defendants from committing a breach of the agreement and, to restrain the third defendant from inducing the first and second defendants from committing a breach of the agreement

In addition the plaintiff company claims damages against all the defendants.

The Chief Justice in the course of the judgment observed:—

"There is nothing on the record to show when the plant was presented or filed. The date is left blank. There is in fact no clear evidence to be deduced from the 'plaint to show the suit has ever been instituted at all. The case had received no number to show that it had been entered in the Register of Suits. The application for a temporary injunction pending the hearing of the action is also undated.

"The record of proceedings in the lower court, however, shows that the application was heard and granted by the subordinate judge on August 7th, 1937. The summons on the first and second defendants to appear on August 18th and answer the claim was served upon them on August 8th on the third defendant on August 9th. They received no notice of the application for the injunction which was dealt with ex-parte and granted on August 7th. No fees of any kind had been paid by the plaintiff at the time.

"It will appear from the facts that I have set out how very irregular and unsatisfactory the proceedings which led up to the granting of the injunction have been and how badly and inadequately the documents have been prepared.

"I am driven to the conclusion from the proceedings in the lower court that the judge has exercised no discretion at all, merely granting the application as a matter of course. One appreciates the difficulties of a subordinate judge in the district away from books but the subordinate judge seems at least to have had a copy of the Civil Procedure Code, but he would find the White Book even more helpful. For the reasons given the order made on August 7th cannot stand, and the appeal must be allowed with costs, the application for injunction being refused."

PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE

Improvement In Birth And Death Rate

BANGALORE, Dec. 1.

That public health in Mysore was fairly normal, and there was definite improvement in birth and death rates compared to that of the preceding year is revealed in the statistics which are now available. The scourge of cholera, however, claimed a heavy toll in the Mysore district, as many as 2,000 persons having succumbed during the quarter ended 30th June, to the fell disease.

During the period January-March 1937 31,960 births (exclusive of 516 still births) and 25,317 deaths were reported giving a birth rate 19.01 and a death rate of 15.06 per mille of population as compared with 20.93 and 15.65 in the previous quarter. The number of infant deaths reported was 3,773 with an infant mortality of 118.05 per thousand live births as compared with 120.64 in the preceding quarter.

Plague was also prevalent during the period under report to a little extent.

With a view to educate people on the vital necessity of keeping themselves tidy and clear 45 cinema shows were organised before an approximate audience of 15,000.—A. P.

BRITAIN PREPARES FOR WAR TIME

Secret Plans To Ration And Control Food Supplies

LONDON, (By Air Mail)

Secret plans have been made by the Cabinet to ration and control supplies of food and feeding-stuffs in case of a national emergency. Great Britain is being divided into 15 areas, with a divisional officer in charge of each. He will act through the local authorities, who will administer the scheme.

The organisation is already formed in "shadow," and 15 divisional officers—eight for England, two for Wales and five for Scotland have been appointed.

The officers are soon to call meetings of their local authorities. Plans will be made to come into full force as soon as a national emergency may be declared by the Government. There will be food control committees to administer the scheme in every town and village.

Strict control and rationing would come into force at once, and all food and cattle feeding-stuffs would be commandeered by the Government.

RATION CARDS

It is understood that nearly 50,000,000 ration cards, similar to those issued in the war, are being printed. They will be stored in various parts of the country and issued to every man, woman, and child in the land within forty-eight hours of the emergency.

London and the Home Counties will have no divisional officers, and the Government will take direct control of food supplies and rationing. The Government department concerned with food plans is calling conference of local authorities in these areas.

Mr. Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, will be in supreme charge of the emergency plans.

Food supply centres will be established in various parts of the country to overcome possible transport difficulties.—United Press.

WORLD'S BIGGEST 'PLANE FOR RUSSIA

NEW YORK, (By Air Mail).

The world's biggest 'plane has just been built at Washington ready for delivery to the Soviet Government. It carries 46 passengers, with night-berths for 26. With a normal cruising speed of 150 miles an hour, it is equipped for non-stop run from New York to London within 24 hours.

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For what purposes the Soviet ordered the new machine is unknown, but it is suspected that it may be intended for service on the Polar route.—United Press

British Goods Not Preferred Over Indian

Kashmir Chief Secretary's Reply

JAMMU (Kashmir): Dec. 2.

"It is absolutely wrong to say that Kashmir State was giving any preference to British-made goods over the Indian-made goods," declared the Chief Secretary, Mr. R. C. Kak, in an interview.

It will be recalled that a letter was reported to have been addressed by the Bihar Chamber of Commerce to the Prime Minister, Jammu and Kashmir State saying that "the Committee of the Chamber is surprised to learn that the State does not accord even the same treatment to goods of Indian origin as it does to the goods of foreign manufacture, but it gives preference to the latter by a high wall of tariff against Indian manufactures."

Prior to this a letter of similar nature was addressed to the Prime Minister, Kashmir, by the Secretary of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Lahore, who complained that under some treaty between the British Government and the Kashmir State the goods of foreign manufacture were imported free of customs duty, whereas 10 per cent. duty was charged on Indian manufactured goods.

Refuting the allegation made by the Chief Secretary said that duty was not being charged by the State on foreign goods in case they came in bond from overseas, in which case they were assessed to customs duty at the ports and the duty was refunded to the State.

The question of recovering duty on these goods at the State customs frontier did not arise, because duty was recovered by the Government of India at the ports and refunded to the State. In the case of other goods of Indian or foreign origin duty was realised at the State customs barriers.

The Secretary of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Lahore, also requested the Prime Minister to permit the Chamber to give evidence before the State Tariff Board.

Regarding this the Chief Secretary said that there was no tariff board in the State. There was an Advisory Committee, consisting of some officers and some members of the Praja Sabha, who were asked to advise on certain specific matters. There was no occasion, therefore, to call evidence of the Chamber.

It is understood that the Prime Minister is sending a similar reply to the Secretary of the Indian Chamber of Commerce.—A. P.

WHY COMPULSORY REVACCINATION?

India Must Emulate Examples Of Australia And New Zealand

The Secretary of National Anti-Vaccination League in the course of a letter to the Governor of Bombay says:

We would draw your special attention to the fact that in Great Britain the Royal Commission on Vaccination (eleven of whose thirteen surviving members were strong pro-vaccinists) which sat for seven years and issued its final report in 1896, recommended the passing of a "Conscience Clause" under which parents could escape the primary vaccination of their children, and definitely rejected the suggestion that revaccination should be made compulsory. Under this clause more than half the parents of this country have been exempting their children from vaccination and yet, notwithstanding this wholesale "neglect" of even primary vaccination there have been fewer deaths from smallpox in that period than in any similar period on record. In 1935 only one case of smallpox was notified in England and Wales. This obvious proof that vaccination is not necessary for the control of smallpox has led not a few medical officials in this country to recommend that the existing compulsory vaccination law should be superseded by a voluntary system of free vaccination.

In view of these easily ascertainable facts in regard to the experience of Great Britain it is difficult to understand how any one can reasonably propose to introduce compulsory vaccination, to say nothing of revaccination, into any part of the world. And why should there be one vaccination law for England and another for India?

We would further point out that compulsory revaccination has already been tried in India and has proved a failure. We refer to the compulsory revaccination legislation passed by the Madras Government in the year 1932. In all recent Indian Public Health Reports there are records of revaccinated cases of smallpox. Countries such as Japan and Italy with rigidly compulsory vaccination laws have had terrible epidemics of smallpox while Australia and New Zealand with practically no vaccination are free of that disease.

Lay people have a right to an opinion in this matter. In vaccination a disease is inflicted which may have very serious consequences and may even result fatally. Professor Newman declared that against the body of a healthy man Parliament has no right of assault whatever, much less against that of a healthy infant. He declared that to forbid perfect health was as bad as to forbid chastity. The imposition of vaccination is the forbidding of perfect health.

It can only be a matter of time and what remains of the English compulsory vaccination law will be swept away. Surely Indian authorities will not go in the opposite direction and fasten on the Indian public a compulsory revaccination law which will not only completely fail to stop smallpox epidemics, but which will add to the pain and suffering of Indian children.

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ONE DAY STRIKE IN NAGPUR MILLS

NAGPUR, Dec. 3.

The Nagpur Textile Union has to-day served the management of both the local mills notices, declaring the intention of the workers to resort to one day's strike on December 13, as the workers wish to march on a procession to the Assembly Hall and present their grievances to the Premier and the Minister of Industries.—United Press.

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INDIAN SCOUTS

MOVEMENT TO BE CARRIED ON DEMOCRATICALLY

In the course of the statement made by Dr. B. H. Mehta on behalf of the Indian National Scout Association at the inauguration of the Scout Round Table Conference recently held at Allahabad it was stated:—

To-day we are here, longing more than ever to see established between us a unity that will last, and will create a Movement which will above all things serve the interest of our dear Motherland, and the youth of this country, who alone after all will mould its future destiny. The fact that we are present here from many Associations is a clear indication that in some vital ways, in the past, we have not seen eye to eye with each other; and yet in spite of our differences we are irrevocably bound by the bond of fraternity which keeps together all those who strive for common aims and ideals. Whatever may happen, on our part we feel that this great bond of Brotherhood, cemented by the greater bond that we all belong to the same Motherland, earnestly striving, even if our ways be slightly different, to serve her according to our light and might will last for ever, and our eventual destiny must be, and cannot but be that unity for which we long and to obtain which we shall strive unceasingly. We pray most sincerely that the happy goal will be reached even now at this very Conference.

A NEW AWAKENING

The whole world to-day is disturbed, and out of an apparent chaos a new and a better world is being born. The small disturbances in the Indian Scout world are but a reflection of the changes which we find everywhere about us. To-day we find around us a new awakening. The minds of our youth are filled with new aspirations, before them have opened great vistas of service and a greater opportunity to help our country to realise its emancipation and its freedom by methods which answer the noble traditions and culture that are our heritage. It should be our proud privilege to help the youth of our country to efficiently carry out the great duties which await them.

The B. P. Movement, you will permit me to call it such, had unfortunately gradually fallen into official control. The undemocratic nature of its Constitution permitted the Movement to lapse into a leadership which did not have public opinion behind it, and which gradually came to be identified, rightly or wrongly, with what is generally termed-reaction. The political subordination of this country makes us sensitive to any kind of foreign control. The political conflicts during the last decade made matters worse. The presence of what Sir Venkata Subba Rao, the Provincial Commissioner of Madras, has called the "Imperialist Serum" in the Movement made it an object of suspicion and distrust. The over-predominance of foreign element in the Movement, not democratically elected, having official relations to the Government, made the Move unacceptable to the general public. The basis on which the international relations of the movement was founded was no less satisfactory. The climax was reached under unfortunate circumstances. I shall not say anything against one whom all of us respect for his good contribution for the betterment of the youth of the world.

Whatever those words were, they have no bearing on the organisation of the I. N. S. A. and they do not darken our memory when we are present here. The emotional reaction of those words, preceded as they were by a long period of unrest, dissatisfaction and agitation, made every one realise that we needed in this country a movement which belonged to us and was managed by us, for the welfare of our youth, and of our country. The growing sense of nationalism and constitutional changes in the country made the demand for nationalisation imperative. I am glad that the very Association of which Lord Baden-Powell is the head has accepted that principle. It must be realised that the great future of the Scout Movement in India can only be achieved if it is a thoroughly national movement under national leadership and control directed on national lines, to suit Indian conditions which will inspire in our youths one supreme loyalty over every other petty loyalty, the loyalty to our Motherland.

SEVA SAMITI'S WORK

I have great pleasure to refer to the Seva Samiti Association to whom we all shall ever remain grateful for having brought the consummation of this important Conference. We may confess our weakness when I say that we have a love for this Association which has well high for twenty years served the national aspirations of the scouts of this country with unswerving devotion and loyalty to our Motherland. The national background of the Seva Samiti is unchallengable, and the greater appeal of this Movement is that it has always remained under the leadership of men who have sacrificed much in the service of the country. It is unfortunate that such a movement should have been subjected to what I prefer to call prejudices which may not stand the test of reality. Moreover we cannot forget the circumstances under which the movement was started twenty years ago. It is to their credit that they are ever willing to go forward according to the needs and demands of changed circumstances.

MALAVIYA AND BESANT

In referring to the Seva Samiti I cannot but pay my most sincere tribute to Pandit Malaviyaji, who after serving this Association for more than twenty years as Chief Scout of India, has I am told agreed in the cause of unity to relinquish that post which I hope this Conference will decide to abolish. By his noble sacrifice, Malaviyaji has set a most worthy example which I am sure H. E. the Viceroy, as Chief Scout of the B. P. Movement in India, will now emulate.

We miss in this gathering the presence of Dr. Annie Besant who, in spite of many differences we might have had with her, was an inspiration and source of strength to many Indian Scouts. The Scout Movement in Madras was more or less the object of her maternal care, and to-day in that Province together with Dr. Arundale, we have Mr. K. Sanjiva Kamath who has behind him a record of selfless service to the Indian Scout world which many of us, younger than he, will aspire to reach. His experience no doubt, will prove an invaluable ... to this Conference during the course of the deliberations. He has been kind enough to answer our wish for his presence, and I hope he will at this juncture accept the hand of unity that the national scouts of this country extend to him.

INDIAN STATES

I may refer to the Indian States. We fully aware that the realisation of Indian nationalism can never be complete till every regional unit of the vast country is prepared to merge and identify itself with the rest. The Indian States present a complicated problem even in the Indian Scout world, and I hope those who are present here to represent various Indian States as well as those who for some reason have not found it possible to attend, will keep before them the ideals, aims and aspirations of the vast majority of this country. On our part we are most fully prepared to appreciate every aspect of their difficult problem, but at the same time I shall request them to realise that our country to-day is rather impatient to advance and therefore a helpful and co-operative attitude alone will contribute to bring about that Unity for which we have all gathered.

Rajputana Students' Conference

Nariman Invited To Perform Opening Ceremony

(From Our Correspondent)

More than one hundred students of Beawar have sent a letter to Mr. K. F. Nariman requesting him to perform the opening ceremony of the 1st Rajputana-Central India Students' Conference, which will be presided over by Com. M. N. Roy.

REVENUE MINISTER AT DHOKAWADA

People Urged To Develop Qualities Of Self-Help And Organisation

The Hon'ble Mr. Morarji Desai, Revenue Minister of the Government of Bombay paid a visit to the Avas-Sasavane-Dhokawada Residents' Association on Wednesday on his way to Rewas from Alibag. He was accompanied by Mr. Willis, the Collector of Kolaba, and Mr. Madan, the Commissioner of the Southern Division. The A. S. D. Residents Welfare Association presented an address to the Revenue Minister in the compound of Principal N. M. Kale at Dhokawada. Over 500 people from the surrounding villages had assembled there.

Mr. R. B. Sapre, the President of the A. S. D. Association made a short speech giving an account of the useful work in regard to Village Improvement that the Association was doing. He then referred to the special grievances of the people like enough water supply, construction of good roads, repair of school buildings and larger accommodation, agricultural farms for demonstration purpose, etc., and requested the Government to take necessary steps. Lastly he pointed out how great injustice was done to the cultivator by the revision of land assessment in 1927 which was abnormally heavy and unbearable.

In reply to the address presented by the Association, the Revenue Minister replied that the betterment of the cultivator depended on organisation and self-help, and so he impressed on the minds of the audience the necessity of developing these qualities further. As regards the complaint about the land revenue he pointed out that the Government were thinking of improving and revising the whole system of revenue assessment in the near future. Assuring that Government would do whatever was possible, the Revenue Minister gave a clear understanding that no revolutionary changes were possible.

UNAUTHORISED NEWS-SHEET?

Notices On "Syasat" Owner And Climax Press Keeper

LAHORE, Dec. 2.

Notices were served to-day by the Additional District Magistrate on Mr. Syed Habib, proprietor of "Syasat", an Urdu daily, and Mr. Ghulam Bhutt, keeper of the Climax Press under section 17(3) of the Press Emergency Powers Act to appear before the said Magistrate and show cause why an order of forfeiture should not be made as a complaint had been filed against them alleging that the Climax Press which was an undeclared Press, was used by them to produce unauthorised news-sheet.—United Press.

KABUL-BERLIN AIR LINE PROJECT

No Further Progress Reported

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

No further progress about the proposed Kabul-Berlin air line is reported, and flights on regular basis have not yet started. An aeroplane came to Kabul early last month and went back. Several trial flights were held last summer —United Press

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WARNING TO HINDU SABHA LEADER

NAGPUR, Dec. 3.

The District Magistrate of Nagpur has to-day issued a warning to Mr. Jagannath Prasad Verma, Secretary of the Nagpur Hindu Sabha inviting his attention to the warning administered to Mr. Verma under orders of the Provincial Government by the District Magistrate of Bhandara on October 23 last, and points out that this warning applies not only to his actions in Bhandara District, but to all districts in the Province and elsewhere in India.

The District Magistrate ... Nagpur further warns Mr. Verma that he must take part in no sort of action whatsoever which is likely to promote Hindu-Muhammadan disaffection or strife.—United Press.

All-India Library Conference

The Hon. Secretary, Reception Committee writes from Delhi:

The Third Session of the All-India Library Conference will be held at Delhi on the 22nd, 23rd, and 24th instant. Librarians throughout India and all those interested in the library movement have been invited to attend the Conference.

The delegation fee is Rs. 4 and may be paid in advance or here on arrival, further particulars can be obtained from me on application.

BERAR PROVINCIAL CONFERENCE

Dr. Satyapal Elected President

AMRAOTI, Dec. 2.

The Reception Committee of the forthcoming Berar Provincial Conference, at its meeting held recently selected Dr. Satyapal, the Punjab Congress leader, for the Presidentship of the Conference.

Veer Wamanrao Joshi, the Berar leader was elected as the Chairman of the Reception Committee.

Various sub-committees have been appointed and the work has begun in right earnest.—A. P.

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Repression In Palestine

800 Arabs In Jails And Camps Without Trial Or Charge: One-Sided British Policy

The Syro-Palestine Executive Committee in Cairo desire to submit the following statement on the situation in Palestine:

Consequent upon the most stringent of methods and measures resorted to by the British Authorities against the Palestine Arabs early last month, such as the deportation of leaders, suspension of national bodies, interference in purely Muslim communal affairs, arrest of notables, etc., the general situation in Palestine became tense. Driven to despair by those governmental activities, the Arabs of Palestine became restless and several acts of violence resulted.

Under the mantle of establishing law and order, but in reality to stifle down the voice of the Arabs; subdue their national spirit, and put an end to Arab opposition to the unjust Anglo-Zionist policy, the British Authorities embarked on an ominous programme of repression. They plunged into gaols and interned in concentration camps over 800 Arabs for periods ranging from three to fifteen months, without preferring or establishing any specific or general charge against those men. Among the prisoners and internees, there are some religious dignitaries, such as Muftis, Imams, Shariat, judges, and preachers. The treatment to which those people are subjected is simply indescribable.

VANDALISM.

In many towns and villages, on the pretence that some acts of violence had taken place there or in the neighbourhood, the authorities chose and demolished by dynamite several of the best houses with their entire contents of furniture and foodstuffs. In the village of Quleh the Mosque was seriously damaged as a result of the dynamiting of few houses in that village. In the village of Silwan, as a result of the shooting of two soldiers in a distant neighbourhood of the village the army burnt three houses, searched the homes of the entire village, damaging the entire contents of the houses (furniture and foodstuffs), shot two men and wounded forty-eight.

The levying of collective fines is another measure resorted to by the authorities. In towns and villages the administration levy high collective fines on the inhabitants of that district, wherein incidents are believed to have taken place. Those collective fines are collected by members of the army and police in the most ruthless manner.—The case of the village of Dahiriyeh (in Hebron district) is one example. The collective fine of £2,000 was collected from the villagers in cash, cattle, cereals, and jewels. The authorities furthermore place supernumerary constables in towns and villages, forcibly collecting from the people the salaries and expenses of those constables.

CIVIL LIBERTY GONE

Whatever freedom of press and speech that existed in Palestine has been seriously curtailed and the Arabs are now deprived of all means of expressing their opinion and wishes. In the mean time fear of persecution, and maltreatment, has driven scores of Arab leaders and youngmen to migrate to neighbouring countries.

In the meantime the Jews—in spite of their repeated crimes against the Arabs—have been left outside the scope of the government measures and regulations. The Jewish press attack the Arab nation in the most vehement terms. Within forty-eight hours, and in the Jerusalem district alone, armed Jews killed ten Arabs including two women, and wounded many.

The situation in Palestine is drifting from bad to worse. The Arabs are subjected to measures and methods unprecedented in the history of European Imperialism. It is the duty of all lovers of peace and justice to demand the immediate termination of the Palestine tragedy.

PENALISED FOR BEING NATIONALISTS

Aligarh Vice-Chancellor's High-Handed Action

ALIGARH, (By Mail).

Mr. Zamir Siddiqi, B.A., (Alig.), a prominent worker of the All-India Students' Federation, who is one of the three students of the Aligarh Muslim University whose admission has been refused to the next higher classes, has issued the following statement to the press:

"Dr. Ziauddin, C.I.E., the Vice-Chancellor of the Aligarh Muslim University, has rushed to the press with a statement regarding the refusal of admission to three of us. I need not say much about it, as the matter is under enquiry by a committee under the guidance of Sir Syed Wazir Hasan. But I cannot refrain from remarking that Dr. Ziauddin's statement in informing the public, that we could not have proceeded with our education if the University had not come forward with generous monetary help, was most uncalled for. Certainly all of us were getting monetary help from the University funds and not from the personal purse of Dr. Ziauddin and that help was entirely due to our merits.

"As for his contention that our admission has been refused by the admission committee for the breach of Hall discipline, I want to inform the public that we were not even allowed to appear before the admission committee. And all the Hall authorities including Mr. K. B. Habibullah Khan, the Chairman of our Hall and Prof. Muzaffar Ali, our warden, had the highest opinion of us; and till the end of this session we held offices in the Hall administration.

"The administration of Dr. Ziauddin is well-known and the Rehmatullah Committee Report is a living proof of it. The activities of the Nationalist and progressive students are constantly watched and even khadi wearing students are suspected and penalised. I need not go into details of his administration which is full of anti-national and reactionary measure, because the matter is under enquiry. But let we appeal to the public not to be mislead by the pronouncement, of the Aligarh Vice-Chancellor and wait for the findings of Sir Syed Wazir Hasan Committee."

BANGALORE ROTARIANS HONOUR SETHNA

Sir Mirza Ismail Congratulated

BANGALORE, Dec. 1.

A special dinner meeting of the Bangalore Rotary Club was held last night in honour of the official visit of Sir Phiroz Sethna to the club in his capacity as Governor of the Rotary International 89th District (India, Burma and Ceylon).

Sir Phiroz Sethna spoke at length about the aims and the ideals of Rotary, its method of work and its growing strength. He said Rotary was growing rapidly both in India and elsewhere and he hoped that it would grow at a faster pace still.

At the outset Sir Phiroz referred to the Honorary Rotarian Sir Mirza Ismail who was present at the meeting and paid a tribute to him. He congratulated him on the extension of his term of office for a period of 5 years.

He announced that the next District Conference would be held in Baroda on January 24, 25 and 26.

Replying on behalf of the guests the Resident observed that the ideals of Rotary, namely, service, integrity in one's profession, creation of goodwill and friendship and harmony and the promotion of understanding were greatly required at the present time. He thought it was the duty of every rotarian who believed in rotary to persuade others into the movement.

Concluding Col. Plowden paid a tribute to the Maharaja of Mysore for his enlightened rule and said he had no doubt that Mysore would grow from strength to strength.—A.P.

INDUSTRIES CONFERENCE

Ninth Session To Be Held At Lahore On Dec. 15

NEW DELHI, (By Mail).

A Press Note says:—

The Government of India have issued invitations to the leading Provinces and States to participate in the Ninth Industries Conference which it is proposed to hold at Lahore on the 15th and 16th December 1937. The dates have been selected with a view to enabling those attending the Conference to visit the Punjab All-India Exhibition of Arts and Industries, which will open at Lahore on the 6th December.

HANDLOOM WEAVING

Following the grants of funds by the Legislative Assembly, allotments amounting to Rs. 15,72,100 have been made to the different provinces and with the assistance of these funds various schemes have been in operation. The Conference will be asked to review the progress of the provincial schemes and to consider allotments for the year 1938-39 including grants for holding exhibitions and competitions for cotton handloom fabrics and improved types of appliances, etc., in the provinces. The question of competition between mills and handloom weavers will also be discussed.

The Conference will also be asked to consider the following subjects which have a close bearing upon the question of middle-class unemployment:—

(a) The development of schemes of apprenticeship.

(b) Scheme for helping educated young men in starting small industries.

Item (a) is in pursuance of a suggestion made by the Chairman in his opening speech at the eighth Industries Conference last year. Item (b) arises out of the recommendation of the U. P. Unemployment Committee contained in paragraph 302 (4) of its Report that a special officer should be deputed to study the working of the scheme in Bengal for helping educated young men in starting small industries and that subject to adaptations to local needs and conditions a similar scheme should be prepared and introduced in other provinces and that young men adopting such a career should be subsidised by Government and helped by expert advice.

Another question to be considered by the Conference is the publication of a handbook containing information regarding industrial and technical institutions in India including Indian States. The Conference will also review the proceedings of the third session of the Industrial Research Council held at Bombay in July 1937.

SERICULTURE

The minutes of the third meeting of the Imperial Sericultural Committee will also be placed before the Conference for their consideration. Following that meeting grants amounting to over Rs. 88,000 were allocated to various provinces for the development of the sericultural industry during the year 1937-38. The Sericultural Committee will hold a meeting at Lahore after the Industries Conference.

WOOLLEN INDUSTRY

The minutes of the second meeting of the Woollen Industry Committee will also be placed before the Conference for their consideration. Following that meeting grants amounting to Rs. 80,000 for the year 1936-37 and Rs. 1,01,000 for the year 1937-38 were allocated to the various provinces for the development of cottage and small scale woollen industries. The Woollen Industry Committee will hold a meeting at Lahore after the meeting of the Imperial Sericultural Committee.

SIR PHIROZE SETHNA AT BANGALORE

(From Our Correspondent)

BANGALORE, (By Mail).

Sir Phiroze Sethna, Governor, Rotary Clubs, arrived here and is staying in West End Hotel. He attends a dinner arranged in his honour. It is understood he had an interview with Sir Mirza Ismail yesterday night.

Hon. Dr. T. S. Rajan, Minister for Public Health arrived this morning from Madras and left for Mysore. The visit is understood to be purely a private one.

Congress Worker Convicted

Hosakote Mahadeva Sastri, Congress worker was convicted under Section 124 (a) I. P. C. and was sentenced to undergo simple imprisonment for 4 months.

The case against the accused was that he delivered a speech on 26th February 1937 at Basettipet, Bangalore City. The Magistrate observed that though the speech was in strong language the speaker did not in terms advocate violence, Further the accused in the words of the Magistrate was over 60 years of age with no status or influence to infer that his words were likely to have much weight with persons who heard him.

Hyderabad Corporation Floating Loan Of 4 Million Rupees

HYDERABAD, (Deccan) Dec. 2.

It is reliably understood that the Hyderabad Municipal Corporation will float a loan of Rs. 40,00,000 very shortly in order to push through the scheme of public welfare which is at present pending owing to lack of finances.—United Press.

Bikaner Prmandal Nber Arrested

(From Our Correspondent.)

BIAR (By Mail).

Information been received in the office of States People's Association Bethat Mr. Lakshmilal, a promit worker of Bikaner Rajya Prajmandal has been arrested by thate Police. The cause of his aris not known.

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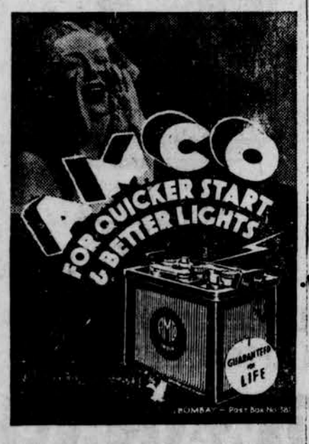

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Support To Congress From Cambridge

INDIAN DEPUTY MAYOR FOR FINSBURY

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LONDON, Nov. 20.

(By Air Mail).

The Oxford Majlis provided two capable speakers to take part in the debate arranged by the Cambridge Majlis last week. The subject for the debate was "That This House Approves of the Policies Pursued by the Congress Ministries". The speakers on both sides emphasised that they spoke as supporters of the Congress which was the only large-scale organisation of the people prepared to strike boldly and constructively at the causes of India's poverty. The approval or disapproval of the policies of the Congress Ministries did not affect their belief or confidence, in the Congress as a genuine fighting body, struggling for national independence.

Almost all those present voted for the motion—even those who spoke against the motion Mr. Chandra, Trinity, proposing the motion reviewed the work of Congress Ministries and while admitting that the imprisonment of Sohli Batliwala in Madras was a regrettable incident, he said, the Congress Ministries were at least moving in the right direction by relaxing restrictive and repressive legislation, introducing education bills and attempting to relieve the peasants. A good maiden speech delivered with fire and conviction.

Mr. Mathai (Oxford) asserted in an eloquent speech that the personal influence of Mahatmaji was responsible for Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru's conversion to constitutionalism. Constitutionalism, he feared, might lead to the shelving of the struggle for independence, and a compromise with British Imperialism. Therefore, Congress should precipitate a conflict with the Governors instead of working a condemned system and beware of new converts whose primary interest was the taste of power.

Mr. Nadarajah (Cambridge) denied that office-acceptance was a result of Gandhiji's personal influence. Congress believed in constitutional reform, not force and it has snatched the opportunity of gaining experience of administrative detail. Mr. Nadarajah quoted Dr. Subbaroyan wrongly to prove that Congress has abandoned the intention of wrecking the Constitution and said that however reactionary Rajagopalachariar was he had arrested Mr. Batliwala in order to preserve unity in the Congress rank. Mr. Bose, in a maiden speech, nervously asserted that the Congress Ministries were far from carrying out their election pledges. Mr. Sinha was pleading harmony between peasants and zamindars in Behar. Sardar Patel was cultivating an attitude of co-operation with British Raj and Mr. Satyamurti was bellicose against the Congress Socialists "The Zamindari system is oppressive" roared Mr. Bose, "and must be attached as a part of our fight for freedom".

Mr. Gottwald (Oxford) said that Congress has given temporary relief to the people and it is necessary to preserve unity if India is to achieve her independence. Mr. Dube (Cambridge) supported the motion on the same grounds as previous speakers. Mr. Kumaramangalam wanted the Congress Ministries to pursue a more radical policy and prepare the country for direct action. Mr. Mitter pleaded for patience and unity. Even the Cambridge Union, he reminded the audience, supports the Congress policy under Pandit Nehru's leadership. "Does the Majlis want to give the disappointed Tories the impression that the Congress is a House divided against itself", he asked.

The motion, as anticipated, was carried enthusiastically.

INDIAN DEPUTY MAYOR FOR FINSBURY

I had the good fortune of being invited to witness the election of the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor of Finsbury Borough earlier in the week. The Council, with its predominantly Labour majority—44 Labour to 7 Conservatives—met for the first time after the recent elections. The retiring Mayor (Alderman Mrs. E. Martin) started the proceedings precisely at the hour they were scheduled. In the press gallery I was the subject of idle curiosity on the part of the local English journalists who keep a watch on their Borough's Municipal administration. They were concerned to know what interested me to attend a Finsbury Borough meeting when I was not representing any local news-paper nor was a rate-payer of that Borough.

However, I satisfied their curiosity, or better still the proceedings of the evening convinced them that I had a special interest in that evening's proceedings. One of our countrymen was being elected the Deputy Mayor, which is a stepping stone to his occupying the Mayoral Chair next year.

The proposal to elect Dr. Katial as Deputy Mayor received the support of all members and from all sides of the House and in commending his claim to the Depty Mayoralty, the Labour Party leader, Alderman Harold Riley, recalled the services rendered by our compatriot to the Borough of Finsbury. The supporter of the motion reminded the Councillors that Dr. Katial, as chairman of the Health Committee, was responsible for the establishment of a Tuberculosis Clinic, which the Borough will be having in the near future. He was glad that Dr. Katial had agreed to accept the office of the Deputy Mayor, which he was convinced, would go a long way in creating international understanding. He was proud to work hand in hand with Dr. Katial, an Indian who had proved by his work that his country was as great as any other.

Dr. Katial was modest and he almost blushed when the Mayor congratulated him on his election. As an appreciation of the recognition of his services to the Borough, he commemorated his election as Deputy Mayor by presenting a chain of office to the Mayoress of Finsbury. Until this year, it is to be noted that the Mayoress of Finsbury was occupying her high position as the wife of the First Citizen of the Borough without wearing the chain of her office, since the Borough had not provided her with it. Now that Dr. Katial has made a gift of it the future Mayoresses of Finsbury will wear it with the knowledge that it has been the gift of an Indian who has served his Borough to the best of his ability and with as much zeal and enthusiasm as any other British citizen who serves his country.

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PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

The Mysore Association, Bombay

That the Mysoreans in Bombay are a well-organized and close-knit community is once again revealed by the eleventh annual report of the Association. The membership is on the increase, and the appointment of a special woman secretary has served as an incentive to the fair sex to join in the association. A number of functions were celebrated during the year, the most noteworthy being the reception arranged for H. H. The Yuvaraja of Mysore. The Western wing of the premises of the association was constructed during the year.

Madras Amateur Photographic Society

The Society, which was founded in 1932, has, besides serving as a meeting ground of local artists, already earned an all-India name for itself by the organisation of an all-India Salon of photography twice in its brief career. The report for the year 1936-37 shows that it was a period of vigorous activity, and that the society has made remarkable progress in many directions. We hope that the Society will achieve still greater success in the future.

Address To Savarkar At Amraoti

AMRAOTI, Dec. 2.

A civic address was presented to Mr. V. D. Sawarkar here last evening.

Addressing a large gathering Mr. Sawarkar said that more than once political institution would not retard the progress of the country but the various parties should not be fighting with each other. He added that in the event of a war breaking out India should take that opportunity to improve her political status.

At night Mr. Sawarkar hoisted the National Flag and spoke on its significance.

He was later honoured by untouchables at Patipura.

He left this morning for Ellichpur.—A. P.

Patiala Hakim For Delhi

(From A Correspondent.)

PATIALA, Dec. 2.

Shifa-ul-Mulk Hakim Dilber Hasan Khan Bhatti, well-known Physician, Patiala, President All-India Unani Tibbi Conference and Director, Bhupindra Tibbia College, will reach Delhi on December 6. He has selected a building situated opposite Jamamasjid, Delhi, heretofore occupied by Hakim Nabina Sahib.

TELEPHONE CHARGES MUST BE REDUCED

Indian Merchants Chamber's Representation To Bombay Telephone Co.

In the course of a representation to the Bombay Telephone Company, urging substantial reductions in the telephone charges, the Secretary of the Indian Merchants' Chamber says:—

I am directed by my Committee to address once again the Board of the Bombay Telephone Company on the question of reducing the scale of charges for the Telephone service. My Committee had occasion last to address the Board on the subject in the year 1935. As however the Company had made certain reductions in charges early that year, my Committee did not pursue the matter further then, but decided to wait for some experience of the working after the reductions and the financial results thereof.

It is necessary, at this stage, to point out that the 1935 reductions were in fact no reductions. In the year 1922 the charges for the service were considerably increased and before the Company can seriously claim any credit for having effected reductions, the charges should be restored to the 1922 level.

"VERY HIGH CHARGES."

I am, directed by my Committee to convey to your Board their strong conviction that the present scale of charges of the Telephone Company are very high, that the same will permit of substantial reductions and that the initial loss in revenue, if any, to the Company consequent upon such reductions would be compensated, after the necessary time lag, by the increased number of subscribers at the reduced rate. My Committee also consider it their duty to acquaint your Board that there is a widespread feeling that the charges of the Company are unnecessarily high and it would not be desirable in the interests of the Company to allow such a feeling to grow.

SOME SUGGESTIONS.

My Committee now wish to make some suggestions in respect of certain individual items:

(1) HANDMICROPHONE: The Company is charging Rs. 10 extra for the supply of this instrument. My Committee presume that this charge is collected from a subscriber only for the first 4 years after the supply of the instrument. The Company claims that it is making "no charge for installation." The telephone apparatus is part of the installation and the hand microphone is but a part of the apparatus. The Company by implication is bound to supply this microphone without any extra charge.

(2) CHARGES FOR LONGER CORDS: Your Company charges Rs. 11 extra if a three—Yard bell set cord is supplied with an instrument; Rs. 21 if a five yard cord is required and Rs. 36 extra if a eight yard cord is supplied. My Committee had occasion in 1930 to point out to the arbitrary nature of the above rates, out of any relation to the service performed or cost incurred.

(3) PLUG & JACK FITTINGS: This facility does not seem to be very much in use in Bombay. The high charges are responsible for the same. The Company is charging Rs. 30 extra per annum for this type of fitting. The only additional expenditure to the Company is in the small extra installation and wiring; the apparatus is the same.

Charges fixed for removals are also very high, out of any relation to actual expenditure including charges for service involved.

My Committee, in conclusion, request that your Board should give this question of reductions in charges for the telephone service their serious consideration.

FIND OF ANCIENT COINS IN PUNJAB AND U. P.

Archaeological Excavations

NEW DELHI, (By Mail).

Archaeological excavations have just been started at Khokrakot, near the town of Rohtak in the Punjab, and at Kosam, which has been identified as the site of the ancient city of Kausambi, near Allahabad. There is, at Khokrakot an extensive mound of ancient origin and it is hoped that the survey now started in the South-East Punjab and Western U. P. will throw some light on India's ancient history, which is particularly obscure in the period between the prehistoric Indus culture and the historic age commencing with the birth of Buddhism in the Lower Gangetic Basin.

RICHEST SITE FOR ANTIQUITIES

Excavations at Kausambi are also likely to prove of the greatest interest for Kausambi was one of the earliest historic sites, and it is believed that its foundation rests on the settlement of an earlier period.

Already two hoards of cast copper coins which were in use in the early centuries of the Christian era have been discovered in the excavations and the place bids fair to be the richest site for antiquities in Northern India.

TRAINING OF FUTURE ARCHAEOLOGISTS.

A new departure in these excavations is the arrangement made to associate with the work scholars deputed from Universities. In response to the suggestion made by the Director-General of Archaeology to the Universities of India, the Benares University has sent one scholar to Kausambi to work with the official explorer, and the Punjab University another, who is now associated with the work at Rohtak. One of the greatest needs in archaeological work has all along been men who combine in themselves intellectual abilities of the highest order with considerable physical stamina to bear up against hardship. The steps now taken to associate young scholars, fresh from their Universities, with the strenuous work of an archaeological explorer, who works in the field, it is believed, will in time remove this long felt want.

NEW INDIAN POSTAGE STAMPS

NEW DELHI, (By Mail).

New postage stamps of the 9 pies and one annia denomination bearing the portrait of His Majesty King George VI were issued on the 23rd August last. New stamps of the following denominations, viz. 1/4 and 1/2 anna, 2 annas, 2-1/2, 3, 3-1/2, 4, 6, 8, 12 annas and 1 Rupee are now ready, and will be available for sale at all post offices from the 15th December. Only a limited number of new stamps of the denominations Rs. 2, 5, 10, 15 and 25 have been printed, and will be available at important post offices only.

The new stamps of the three pies and six pies denomination are of the same design differing only in colour.

The design adopted for the anna series of stamps is pictorial. This is the first time that the Indian Postal Administration has issued pictorial stamps as a permanent series.

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An attractive folder has been prepared by the Department for sale to the public. This contains one stamp of each denomination from quarter anna to one Rupee placed in transparent pockets with a small explanatory note. Such folders will be sold at a price of Rs. 3-12, and will be available in all important post offices.—A. P.

All-India Medical Licentiates' Conference

The first Bombay Provincial Conference of the All-India Medical Licentiates' Association will be held in Bombay at the National Medical College premises on December 18, 19, and 20. Dr. Joseph Benjamin of Ahmedabad, has been elected president. The Surgeon-General with the Government of Bombay will open the Conference on December 18.

The exhibition of medical, surgical and electrical appliances, sanitary-ware and other products will be a special feature of the Conference. At the Scientific Section papers of interest in medicine and allied subjects will be read.

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Our Baroda Letter

RANIPARAJ PEOPLE GIVE UP DRINK

Government Requested To Close Shops

(From Our Correspondent)

BARODA, Nov. 30.

The Raniparaj people of Baroda State, at a meeting recently held at Vithalnagar, have taken vows to stop drinking wine and have urged the Government of Baroda to close shops in Raniparaj tracts to save them from this evil.

His Highness the Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda is arriving here on December 3rd. There will be a public reception and a holiday.

People of Kathor consider As. 0-6-0 per unit, rate of electricity as very high and they have applied to the authorities for arranging reduction of the same.

Shrimati Kamalaben Jagmohandas Pratap has donated Rs. 101 to Velchand Banker Harijan Ashram.

News is received from Kathor that a Bania named Lalchand, owing to clever ruse of some badmashis, took out gold ornaments worth Rs. 800 and worshipped them. The miscreants changed the bundle and went away promising to return next day. As they did not come back Lalchand opened the bundle and found that the ornaments were not there.

Strengthen Congress In Its Struggle Against Imperialism

Formation Of Parties Within Congress Is Fraught With Danger; Radical Youth Conference's Manifesto

The GUJARAT RADICAL YOUTH CONFERENCE has issued the following Manifesto:—

A successful united movement of whatever political nature cannot be brought into being unless and until that movement is based on a clearly defined programme and a well formulated plan of action to be followed and worked out by those participating therein. These must be based on the homogeneous political and economic demands. This is an absolute necessity of the moment. A common platform is the need of the hour.

We are fully aware of the existing conditions in our country. Therefore we deem it to be our duty to point out to you the pressing need for every youth not to ignore the fact of our subjugation by a foreign power, our political, economic, social and cultural backwardness.

SCOPE WITHIN CONGRESS.

The exigencies of the situation demand of us to search for an agreed programme and common platform for effectively playing our role in the onward march of our people towards prosperity. This platform according to us is the Indian National Congress, which to-day commands the allegiance of the great majority of our population. Youths with the above understanding cannot keep away from it, for the principles and the programme of national freedom as adopted at Faizpur afford us full scope of doing our best for the enforcement of our will to freedom. If there is any thing that commonly affects us it is our political bondage and economic backwardness and social stagnation. If there is any thing that lays down the homogeneous task before you it is the solution of the political and economic problems of our country.

A youth movement based upon the aforesaid outlines cannot be but an integral part of the Congress, for to organise a separate one is to run a parallel movement, to duplicate the work undertaken by the Congress Such a movement will only lead to the weakening of our movement rather than strengthening the Indian National Congress

CAUSES THAT LEAD TO REVOLUTION

The root causes of an objectively revolutionary political movement are found into the mass economic discontent and social stagnation and political backwardness of a people whatsoever. It comes into being as a result of the outgrowing of the necessity of an old and decadent order of society or political bondage to a foreign imperialism. In India, the Congress represents such a movement—the latter being the main cause.

A movement of this nature has a programme based on the major economic demands and political democratic aspirations of those participating therein. In order to make possible the enforcement of such a programme a plan of action is needed. This must be so formulated as to put the masses of the people into a series of struggles for the achievement of their immediate partial economic demands and on the basis of important political issues that may arise from time to time. This alone will help the development of political consciousness among the masses. This alone will lead us to the capture of political power from the unwilling hands of foreign imperialist power.

The achievement of our political objective is impossible without a party strong enough in its cohesion and ideological conception. It must be a disciplined body.

The Congress is the party of the Indian people and a national "United Front." It almost functions as such. Therefore the existence of rigid political parties within it, will only lead to its disintegration and weakening-dangerous to the general growth of our struggle for freedom.

DANGER

The apparent "constitutional validity" for the formation of "parties" within the Congress is pregnant with serious consequences. There is a danger of the disruption of the Congress and there is a possibility of weakening the unity of the will of the people. Taking the hint from the "constitutional defenders" on this question, each divergent class interest if organised as rigid party shall reduce the Congress into a mock-parliament—a fighting ground for these interests. Instead of a "united front," it will degenerate into a platform for bickerings for these organised divergent interests. Therefore let us not give any handle to the reactionaries to later on use the name of the "Congress" only for its disintegration.

It is true there have been in the past groups of Congressmen within it. But these aspired to develop the movement from one stage to the other. We do not object to the existence of such groups wishing to help the struggle for national freedom, for, these were and must be 'ad hoc' bodies of Congressmen created with the purpose of developing the Congress into a mighty struggle against imperialism. Such left Wing 'ad hoc' groups whose activities are circumscribed by the objective of national liberation did exist in the past and shall continue to exist until the time the Congress reaches its full development. They should exist as a necessity for the radicalisation of the programme and policy of our movement and not to confuse issues and bring in such idealistic questions as do not come within the competence of the Congress.

Experience has proved that formation of such parties within the Congress is detrimental to the growth and development of our struggle for freedom.

As regards the use of the name of the Congress for communal differences, it goes without saying, that it must be discouraged altogether, otherwise it will do immense harm to our movement.

A change from the state of subjugation to freedom, from the state of industrial backwardness to modernisation (meaning prosperity and progress for the great bulk of the Indian population), from the state of backward means of production and antiquated system of ownership in land to modern ones and to a system of land-ownership vested into the democratic state representing the will of the people of India, is a radical change. This radical change is needed for the transformation of India from a backward country to a modern one.

Should India undergo this radical change, the first step in this direction is the capture of political power by the masses of the people, which must result into the establishment of a democratic state, which will throw up a truly democratic government of the people by the people.

The radical socio-political changes historically necessary will not mean establishment of socialism. Nevertheless it will open up vast possibilities for our people to travel in the van of modern civilization, eliminating all the remnants of the antique age. This stage is an absolute necessity for our progress. This is a necessary stage in the higher gradation of human social evolution. None can prevent us not even the mighty imperialist power.

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Provide More Facilities And Restore Pre-War Rate

Karnatak Associations In City Send Monster Petition To Directors Of Bombay Steam Navigation Co.

A monster petition signed by nearly 3,000 persons, including the executives of Karnatak Institutions in Bombay, has been forwarded by the Karnatak Association, Bombay, to the Directors of the Bombay Steam Navigation Company.

It states that the pre-war fare of about Rs. 4 from Bombay to Mangalore that was enhanced during the war to Rs. 10/4 has not as yet been adequately reduced, although between 1920 and 1934 running of ship and other costs reached a very low level and passage and freight rates on almost every other route have gone down considerably, the Bombay Steam Navigation Company reduced their passenger fare only by seven per cent or twelve annas on the Bombay/Mangalore route, where they have a practical monopoly.

On the principle that the longer the route the lower the rate per mile, such a small reduction is unjustifiable and is a great hardship to passengers. Particularly unjustifiable are the rates when one considers the meagre accommodation supplied for it and the hardships the passengers have to undergo during the voyage. They are practically herded and packed together like beasts without facilities even to stretch themselves. Besides this at every port, passengers on and near the hatches are disturbed and shifted about for loading and unloading cargo.

FEW FACILITIES

Proper and adequate medical facilities are completely absent. In one case, only one ounce of Eucalyptus and terpentine oil, together with a few bandages were found in an emergency case, when called for by a doctor to help a cabin fellow passenger.

The Company sells tickets up to the last minute regardless of the accommodation available. Add to this the lack of proper arrangements for carrying passengers to and from the ships at the ports in insanitary country craft. Launches should be provided for the embarkation and disembarkation of all passengers as is done at Mangalore for the higher class passengers. Further, the steamers should run to scheduled timings.

DEMANDS

The petition strongly urges:

A substantial reduction in existing fare,

Provision of adequate accommodation for each individual passenger and his luggage;

Provision of adequate medical facilities generally;

Discontinuance of the practice of issuing tickets regardless of considerations of space;

Provision of suitable arrangements for embarking and disembarking at ports other than Bombay and Mormugao; and

Observance of scheduled timings.

NOTHING WRONG IN KISAN MARCHES

Prof. Ranga Replies To Dhavale's Statement

NIDUBROLU, Dec. 2.

Prof. N. G. Ranga, M.L.A., President of the All India Kisan Sabha, has issued a Press statement with reference to the statement made by Mr. G. D. Dhavale, "That the proposed marches by Kisans are not warranted."

He says:—

"I am surprised at this nervousness of Mr. Dhavale at the prospect of a Kisan March to the Chamber. He may be justified in his confidence in the C. P. Ministry's anxiety to implement "the pledges given in the Congress Election Manifesto." But surely he cannot object to the exercise by Kisans of their legitimate right to march to the Assembly Chamber and personally meet the Ministers and M.L.A.'s, to acquaint them, in an organised and orderly fashion, with their needs and demands and press for preference being given to the redress of some or all of their grievances. It is wrong on his part to try to discourage our Kisans, from making an organised effort to remind our Ministers of the pledges and duties to our peasantry. They have already taken up for serious consideration and immediate achievement the Congress pledge on Prohibition.

"Is it not then the duty of our Kisans to bring their pressure to bear upon our Ministers so as to obtain the much-needed relief from rents, debts, forced labour, illegal exactions and forest fees, to mention a few of their pressing troubles? I appeal to him and other fellow Congressmen to remember that such marches are welcomed by the Premiers and Cabinets of the U. P., Bihar, Orissa and even by the Congress President who has himself joined as one of them and encouraged the Kisans to express their needs and demands in a disciplined and organised manner.—United Press.

REORGANISATION OF PUBLIC SERVICE

Nizam's Govt. Appoints Committee

(From Our Correspondent.)

HYDERABAD, (Dn.) Dec. 2.

A Committee under the chairmanship of Nawab Fakhryar Jung Bahadur, Finance Member, and composed of all secretaries of Government has been appointed to collect all existing material, dealing with rules of service and recruitment and appointment in State and make suitable proposals whether by way of framing new rules or by revision to bring recruitment for all departments more into consonance with present requirements of Public Service, says a communique issued by Nizam's Government.

The Committee has been entrusted with the task of making regarding agency or agencies for recruitment and appointment and spheres to be allotted in that regard to such agency or agencies.

Madras High Court Acting Justice

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

Mr. L. C. Horwill, I.C.S. has been appointed Madras High Court Judge from January 3 till May 12, 1938, during the absence on leave of Mr. Justice Wardsworth.—United Press.

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TRADE AND FINANCE

Heavy Liquidation Of Tired Holders In Shares

DRASTIC DECLINE IN VALUES

Gold And Silver Steady

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEWS

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT).
BOMBAY: Dec. 3.

MONEY.

Money rates were unchanged during the week, call loans being available at 1|2 per cent. There are still no signs of any trade demand from Up-country. Term money rates, which usually tend to advance at this time of the year, are unchanged, three months being quoted at 1 per cent and four to six months at 1-1|4 per cent. Applications for this week's sale of Treasury Bills amounted to Rs. 2.79 crores, whereof the required amount was accepted at an average rate of Re. 0-12-11 (.8073) per cent. per annum, unchanged from last week. Maturities amounted to Rs. 2 crores as against renewals of a like amount. Government have repaid to the Reserve Bank of India Rs. 1 crore out of the sum of Rs. 2 crores borrowed during the week ended 19th November, 1937.

GILT-EDGED.

There was little of interest in the local gilt-edged market, with prices practically unchanged and the volume of business negligible. 3-1|2 per cent. India Sterling Stock recorded a rise of 10 shillings from £93-3|4 to £94-1|4 at the close, but this failed to have any effect on the local market, where 3-1|2 per cent. Rupee Paper kept almost unchanged around Rs. 98-10. 2-3|4 per cent. 1948-52 loan was stagnant at Rs. 100-7, 3 per cent. 1941 loan at Rs. 103-8 and 3 per cent. 1951-54 loan at Rs. 102-8. 3-1|2 per cent. 1947-50 loan was on offer at Rs. 106-8, and 5-1|2 per cent. 1938-40 loan at Rs. 102-14. 4 per cent. 1943 Bonds closed at Rs. 108-7, 5 per cent. 1960-70 loan at Rs. 113-14 and 4-1|2 per cent. 1955-60 loan at Rs. 119-8. 5 per cent. 1939-44 loan was marked at Rs. 105-1. 5 per cent. 1940-43 loan at Rs 108 and 5 per cent. 1945-55 (tax free) loan at Rs. 120-12.

EXCHANGE.

Sterling exchange was quietly steady during the week under report, sellers of spot T.T. quoting 1s. 6-3|32d. and buyers 1s. 6-1|8d. There was small business reported in connection with export of gold, but this was offset by small remittance enquiry. For a third week in succession, there were no sterling tenders to Government at 1s. 6-1|8d.

In the foreign exchange market in London, there were no movements of importance in any currency. The dollar initially improved in terms of sterling, but was again easier at the close. Opening at 499.50 cents, the sterling-dollar rate gradually declined to 498.62 cents but closed at 499.32 cents. The premium on three months' forward dollars, which was dol. 0.71 at the close of last week, narrowed to dol. 0.36 mid-week, but widened again to dol. 0.71 towards the close. The sterling|franc rate moved within a narrow range from frs. 147.19 and frs. 147.09, closing at frs. 147.10. The discount on forward francs declined further from frs. 2.400 to frs. 2.00, but widened again to 2.430 at the close. Fluctuations in other currencies were also meagre, the guilder moved between 6.98-5|8 and 8.98-1|8 and the belga between 29.38-1|8 and 29.34, while the Italian lira vacillated between 94.95 and 94.75.

GOLD.

The gold market remained steady throughout the week, with occasional enquiry both for spot and forward for export. Small business was put through for spot and shipment end of December. Ready gold, after opening at Rs. 34-8-3, gradually declined to Rs. 34-8-0, but closed at Rs. 34-8-3. January settlement gold was quoted at a premium of 6 pies and February at 9 pies over the spot rate. Fluctuations in the price of gold in London were also confined to narrow limits. The London quotation, after opening at Rs. 140s. 1d., gradually declined to 139s. 11d. but improved and closed at 140., while the premium on gold narrowed from the opening level of 10d. to 8d. at the close, which amply indicates that the recent heavy demand for gold in London is steadily declining. There was very little doing in sovereigns during the week and the quotation ranged between Rs. 22-6-0 and Rs. 22-5-6 for both spot and forward deliveries. Stocks in the local market are estimated at about 1,50,000 tolas, while the daily arrivals from upcountry average 15,000 tolas. The offtake is unchanged at 1,500 tolas a day. Gold to the extent of Rs. 28.89 lacs was shipped to London last week per s. s. "Comorin," while imports amounted to Rs. 1,30,734 in gold bar and coin. The highest and the lowest rates touched during the week were: Rs. 34-9-3 and Rs. 34-8-0 for ready. Rs. 34-9-9 and Rs. 34-8-6 for January settlement and Rs. 34-10 and Rs. 34-8-9 for February settlement.

SILVER.

The local silver market also witnessed a quiet week and price changes were confined to small limits. Spot silver, after opening at Rs. 50-1-6, gradually declined to Rs. 49-13-6, but improved to Rs. 50-0-0 towards the close. In London, the quotation for spot silver ranged between 19 3/4d. and 19 5/8d. while two months' forward delivery was quoted at 1/8d. under the spot rate throughout the week. In the absence of any fresh imports, the local stocks have further fallen down to 16,000 bars, while the offtake is some 90 bars a day as against 65 bars a day last week. Silver to the extent of £5,600 is 'en route' to Bombay, while yesterday's arrival per s.s. "Mooltan" is valued at £7,000. During the past week, silver coins to the value of Rs. 12,087 were imported. The highest and the lowest rates touched during the week were: Rs. 50-2-6 and Rs. 49-13-6 for ready. Rs. 50-3-0 and Rs. 49-14-6 for January settlement and Rs. 50-4-6 and Rs. 50-0 for February settlement. The Shanghai dollar and the Yen were stagnant at 1s. 2 1/4d. and 1s. 2d. respectively all the week through.

SHARES.

In the absence of encouraging advices from foreign markets and owing to the approach of the month-end settlement, the local stock market developed a nervous tone. There was heavy liquidation on account of tired and weak holders which, coupled with bear sales, depressed the market. Steel shares were the worst sufferers; Tata Iron Defds. lost about 100 points, the quotation touching as low as Rs. 1,315, while Ordys. likewise shed over 30 points to Rs. 296. At the close, however, there was a slight recovery, Defds. closing at Rs. 1,335 and Ordys. at Rs. 300. Small upward reactions that occurred from day to day induced fresh sales and there was almost complete absence of buyers.

Mill shares were comparatively steady although prices finished much lower than last week. Bombay Dyeings, after touching Rs. 1,022-8 mid-week, closed at Rs. 1,005; Centuries gathered strength to Rs. 255, but declined and closed at Rs. 246-4; Central Indias advanced to Rs. 290, closed at Rs. 281-4; while Colaba Land were down to Rs. 202-8 earlier in the week, but later marched up to Rs. 211-4, closing lower again at Rs. 207-8; Kohinoors were marked up to Rs. 357-8 mid-week, but finished lower at Rs. 350-10. Hydro-electrics were slightly easier in sympathy with the general tone of the market; Tata Powers declining from Rs. 1,451-4 to Rs. 1,432-8 at the close; Andhra Valleys from Rs. 1,530 to Rs. 1,520 and Tata Hydros from Rs. 154-11 to Rs. 150. Bombay Trams were sought after and the quotation hardened up from Rs. 115-10 to Rs. 118-12. Associated Cements were firm mid-week on vigorous buying, the quotation touching Rs. 146, but towards the close, weakened to Rs. 139-12. In the miscellaneous section, Belapurs put up about 5 points to Rs. 183-12, but close weak at Rs. 178-12; Bombay Burma's likewise hardened up to Rs. 733-12, but dropped to Rs. 716-2 at the close; Scindia Steams were a shade easier at Rs. 24-5 at the end. Bank and Railway shares were unchanged.

PLANT DISEASE TO COTTON CROP IN AMRAOTI

Weekly Nagpur Crop Report

(From Our Correspondent)
Nagpur, Dec 3

Weather and crop report for week ending Saturday the 27th November issued by Government says weather was clear and cold with occasional passing clouds. Standing Kharif crops are on the whole in good condition except cotton which is reported to have been attacked by plant diseases in parts of Arvi Tahsil (Wardha) and in Amraoti, while in Yeotmal it is showing signs of withering on light soils owing to lack of moisture. Harvesting of kkarif crops continues and their threshing has commenced at places. Cotton picking is in progress. Germination and growth of Rabi crops are satisfactory.

Produce Receipts

Bombay, Dec 3

Wheat	8,629 cwts.
Linseed	930 cwts.
Rape, Rai and Mustardseeds	76 cwts.
Gingellyseed	774 cwts.
Groundnuts	9,526 cwts.
Castorseed	710 cwts.
Rice	28,524 cwts.
Myrabollams	5,730 cwts.
Cotton	5,373 cwts.
Gram	1,950 cwts.
Joowar	698 cwts.
Maize	8 cwts.
Barley	393 cwts.
Bajree	2,507 cwts.
Indian sugar	10,804 cwts.

TATA ELECTRIC CONCERNS

Total Units Generated

Messrs. Tata Hydro-Electric Agencies Limited, Agents for The Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Co. Ltd., The Andhra Valley Power Supply Co. Ltd., and The Tata Power Company, Limited, report that the total electrical (Board of Trade) units generated at the three Power Stations (Khopoli, Bhivpuri and Bhira) of the Hydro Group were as follows:—

48th Week (ended 2nd December)

1935	11,499,100
1936	10,772,500
1937	13,823,900

Total for 48 Weeks (1st January to date)—

1935	526,960,600
1936	511,191,300
1937	604,532,100

QUOTATIONS OF LOCAL MILL CLOTH

Bombay, Dec 3

		Rs. a. p.
KHADI—		
Tata	Pad 'lb	0 7 0
Textile	,,	0 7 9
Bradbury	,,	0 7 3
E. D. S. Group	,,	0 7 3
Sasoon	,,	0 7 3
Century	,,	0 7 0
Toyo Podar	,,	0 7 9
Simplex	,,	0 7 3
Madhusudan	,,	0 7 4½
Long Cloth (full weight In 36—38) 92½ 93½—		
Mahal Brand	,,	0 10 0
Madari Brand	,,	0 9 9
Daud Saheb	,,	0 9 9
Hindustan 8605	,,	0 10 6
Hindustan 8705	,,	0 10 6
Long Cloth (Light Weight) No. 5202/5303—		
Kuria	,,	0 10 6
Idsu	,,	0 10 0
Long Cloth X Quality.—		
Appollo	,,	0 9 7½
Century	,,	0 9 6
Jam	,,	0 10 9
Textile	,,	0 9 9
Spring	,,	0 9 9
Madhusudan	,,	0 9 7½
Victoriya	,,	0 9 3
Long Cloth Satin Calander 34—42 In.—		
Textile (Hand)	,,	0 9 3
Spring (Merchant)	,,	0 9 3
Century (Bugal)	,,	0 9 1½
Pehlad Siwala	,,	0 9 0
Hindustan (Tiger)	,,	0 9 6
Western 92 1/2—92 1/2 (Circus Horse)	,,	0 9 3
Madhusudan	,,	0 9 1½
Tijuri	,,	0 9 6
Bharat Mill	,,	0 9 0
Sundri	,,	0 9 3
Jubily	,,	0 8 4½
Hight Class Long Cloth (Edsu Mill)—		
8851—351	per piece	6 11 0
9821—656	,,	6 6 0
1200—181	,,	5 12 0
542—352	,,	7 2 0
4141—657	,,	6 12 0
1480—191	,,	5 2 0
548—353	,,	7 9 0
9191—658	,,	7 3 0
Long Cloth Vegitable—		
Apollo	per lb.	0 8 10½
Idsu	,,	0 8 10½
Century	,,	0 8 7½
Madhusudan	,,	0 8 6
Salita—		
1215 Idsu	,,	0 8 6
1215 Madhusudan	,,	0 8 6
1215 Sasoon	,,	0 8 6
AAA Billi	,,	7 8 0
Dhoties 7—8—9 Yards—		
Spring Mill (Balance)	per lb.	0 10 6
Crown	,,	0 10 3
Hindustan	,,	0 10 3
Barsi	,,	0 0 0
Dhoties 10 Yards.—		
Spring Mill (Balance)		0 9 9
Hindustan	,,	0 10 3
Crown 4310	,,	0 10 3
Gin Coloured—		
B 1515 Ratilal	per piece	7 14 0
1415 Ratilal	,,	7 1 0
779	,,	8 10 0
4141	,,	8 10 0
Spring	,,	8 10 0
979 Kohinoor	,,	7 2 0
M. B. W.	,,	8 4 0
Dhoti Mahim 44x10—		
115 Victoria	,,	1 4 6
2142 Western	,,	1 6 6
Lepad Big Size—		
Crown	per lb.	0 9 6
Hindustan	,,	0 9 4½
Apollo	,,	0 9 3
Edsoo	,,	0 9 3
Spring	,,	0 9 4½
Tex	,,	0 9 4½
Century	,,	0 9 3
Madhusudan	,,	0 9 3
Lepad Small Size—		
Century	,,	0 9 0
Madhusudan	,,	0 9 0
Tex	,,	0 9 1½
Spring	,,	0 9 1½
Dukdi Yards 12—13—14—		
9712 Kamala	,,	0 10 3
8712 Madhusudan	,,	0 10 4½
5250 .. Keshri	,,	2 5 3
8712 Kalyan	,,	0 10 6
8712 Shri Nivas	,,	0 10 6
9250 Kohinoor	,,	2 4 6
6450 Madhusudan	,,	2 1 0

DAY'S YARN PRICES

Bombay, Dec 3

The following were the quotations today on the Bombay Yarn Exchange.

Yarn No. 10s. December 134; February 130; April 127

Yarn No. 20s. December 165; February 163; April 161

"Indian Readers' Digest"

The November issue of the "Indian Readers' Digest" (20/22, Elphinstone Circle, Fort, Bombay) opens with a free rendering of the Vande Mataram Song. Mr. K. M. Munshi in an interesting article traces the growth of Indian Literature and points out its essential unity despite the diversity of languages. A English correspondent describes the dramatic nature of the political situation on the N. W. Frontier and the hope raised by the advent of the Congress Ministry. A scheme of primary education is given by Mr. H. G. Wells wherein he discusses the factual side of the education. Sadhu T. L. Vaswani has a brief article on the greatness of Gandhiji. Col. Owen Berkeley Hill. deals with the art of Love. Dr. P. S. Lokanathan analyses the Congress budgets in the provinces and comments on the "Congress Touch" that makes them unique. Mr. D. Graham Hutton stresses the significance of the Rome-Berlin Axis and its repercussions in Central Europe. The Commanding position attained by the Women in America is described by Mr H. M. Robinson. Mr. Louis Verel discusses the social Virtues in the Nursery School, and Mr Nandlal Chatterjee narrates the architectural policy of Akbar and Shahjehan. Among the other articles that make this issue so attractive may be mentioned Surgery and Medicine in ancient India" by Pandit Shiv Sharma. "Culture in Post-War of Russia" by Stephen Garvy, the "Europeanisation of the Orient" by Hans Kohn and "This is a Dangerous World" by General Smuts. Besides the usual features, there are several cartoons, both Indian and foreign. On the whole, the issue maintains the level of its predecessors in the matter of quality and variety and will appeal to the reader of every taste.

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Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON 2 POINTS UP

Bullion Easy But Wheat And Rubber Firm

BOMBAY, Dec 3

On Friday cross rates ruled steady.

NEW YORK COTTON QUIET

New York cotton was quiet and inactive. Speculative interest was at a very low ebb.

BULLION EASY

London gold and silver ruled easy.

WHEAT FIRM

Wheat was firm. Rubber and base metals were also firm.

SECURITIES STEADY

The London Stock Exchange was at first quiet but later displayed better sentiment. Giltedged securities kept steady on scattered support.

COTTON EXCHANGES

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

MARCH 1938.

New York, Dec 3

Previous closing	7.96
To-day's opening	7.94
Difference	—02
To-day's clossing	7.98
Difference	+02

LIVERPOOL COTTON

JANUARY 1938

Liverpool, Dec 3

Previous closing	4.48
To-day's opening	4.52
Difference	+04
To-day's closing	4.52
Difference	+04

BROACH EXPECTATION

New April May ..... Rs. 162

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, Dec 3

Cotton was quiet and inactive with speculative interest at a very low ebb while lower Liverpool cables and the uncertainty with regard to the Farm Bill develop ents also checked enterprise.

Trading in March commenced at 7.94 i.e. 2 points lower than previous closing. Prices declined on hedging and liquidation but later the market steadied down with narrow movements and March hovering around opening levels.

New York cotton finally closed at 7.98 with a rise of 2 points.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Dec 3

The following were the opening ranges:—

December (7.88/7.88) 7.91/7.90
January (7.91/7.91) 7.94/7.93
March (7.96/7.94) 7.93/7.99

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Dec 3

American December (4.47) 4.50
American January (4.49) 4.52
Sakels January (6.30) 6.33
Sakels March (6.39) 6.41

BROACH COTTON

Bombay, Dec 3

Broach cotton for April-May delivery moved between Rs. 162-8 and Rs. 161-8. The closing rate at 10 p.m. was Rs. 162-8.

LONDON MARKETS

London, Dec 3

The rates at 2-30 p. m. were as follows:—

TEA

Indian Pekoe (1-0 1/2) 1-0 1/2
Indian Pekoe higher (1-2 3/4) 1-2 3/4
Ceylon Pekoe (1-1 1/2) 1-1 1/2
Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-6 3/4) 1-6 3/4

JUTE

New Crop November December (£19 7/8 paid and sellers) £19 7/8 sellers
Dunlop December (£22 1/4) £22 1/4 sellers
Lightning December (£21 1/4) £21 1/4 sellers

RUBBER

Spot (/ 5/16 value) 7 3/8 buyers
Forward April June (7 1/2 paid and value) 7 5/8 paid and value

LINSEED

Castorseed Bombay December January (£14 sellers) £14 sellers
Linseed Calcutta December January (£14 7/8 sellers) £15 sellers
Linseed La Plata December (£12 5/16 sellers) £12 3/8 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal January (£11 9/16 sellers) £11 1/2 sellers

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Dec 3

Liverpool wheat opened easy with December at 92 1/2 and March 91 1/4. Prices declined on scattered liquidation and selling influenced by larger Australian shipments and cheaper Russian offers but subsequently displayed better tendency.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Dec 3

Chicago wheat opened steady with December at 0.94 3/4. Prices advanced moderately on scattered buying but the demand from outside interests was lacking due to cheaper Russian offers.

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATES

Latest Quotations

New York, Dec 3

Previous closing	4.99 5/8
To-day's opening	4.99 3/16
To-day's closing	4.99 1/16

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, Dec 3

Previous closing	4.99.32
To-day's opening	4.99.30
To-day's closing	4.99.15

FRANC RATE

London, Dec 3

Previous closing	147.10
To-day's opening	147.10
To-day's closing	147.07

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Dec 3

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.99.30 and then eased to 4.99.25 on lack of support.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 4.99.15

Franc opened at 147.10 and kept steady with slight variations.

The sterling franc cross rate closed at 147.07.

CROSS RATES

London on Bombay (1-6 1/8) 1-6 1/8
Paris on Bombay (11.110) 11.106
New York on Bombay (37.67) 37.70
Berlin on Bombay (0.93 5/8) 0.93 1/2
London on Milan (94.85) 94.85
London on Shanghai (1-2 7/32) 1-2 7/32
London on Kobe (1-2) 1-2

DISCOUNTS

3 months (3/4 to 13/16 per cent) 3/4 to 13/16 per cent.
6 months (3/4 to 3/4 per cent) 3/4 to 3/4 per cent
6 months (3/4 to 3/4 per cent) 3/4 to 3/4 per cent.

LONDON METALS

To-day's opening rates were as follows:—

Tin (£192 3/4 buyers £193 sellers) £194 5/8 buyers £194 3/4 sellers. Very steady.
Lead (£16 1/8 buyers £16 3/16 sellers) £16 3/8 buyers £16 7/16 sellers. Very steady
Electrolytic Copper (£44 to £45 1/2) £45 to £46
Glasgow Iron sh. (112-0) 112-0

SILVER CABLES

Bombay, Dec 3

The following cable information was received from London to-night:—

"India sold. Speculators bought and sold. Market quietly steady."

LONDON SILVER

London, Dec 3

Spot	(19 5/8d) 19 9/16d.
Forward	(19 1/2d.) 19 7/16d.

LONDON GOLD

London, Dec 3

Gold Bars Fine per ounce (£7-0-0) £6-19-11 1/2

BOMBAY BULLION

Bombay, Dec 3

Silver ready	49 9 6
Silver 1st settlement Magsar	49 10 0
Silver 2nd settlement Posh	49 12 0
Gold ready	34 8 0
Gold 1st settlement Magsar	34 8 9
Gold 2nd settlement Posh	34 9 3
Sovereign	22 5 6

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Dec 3

Wheat January	5 4 3
Wheat May	5 0 3
Linseed May	7 10 6

BROWN BOLD LINSEED

(Through Bombay Grains and Seeds Association)

Bombay, Dec 3

Rates at 11-0 a.m.	7 12 0
Rates at 12-0 noon	7 11 9
Rates at 3-0 p.m.	7 11 3
Rates at 6-0 p.m.	7 10 3

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Closing Quotation

Liverpool, Dec 3

Liverpool wheat December closed at 93 3/4 as against the previous closing at 92 1/2

3½ P. C. GOVT PAPER

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Dec 3

The 3 1/2 per cent Government paper was quoted Rs. 98-10-6 at 2 p.m. The closing quotation at 5 p.m. was Rs. 98-10-0.

Fluctuations during the sessions were as follows:—

Opening	Rs. 98 10 0
Highest	Rs. 98 11 0
Lowest	Rs. 98 10 0
Closing	Rs. 98 10 0

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, Dec 3

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed at —— ex dividend as against the previous closing at £93 5/8 ex dividend.

INDIAN LOANS

London, Dec 3

2-30 p.m

3 per cent Indian (£98 3/4) £98 3/4
3 1/2 per cent Indian (£93 3/4 ex div) £93 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950-55 (£112) £112
4 1/2 per cent Indian 1958/68 (£114 1/2) £1 1 3/4
4 per cent Indian 1948-53 (£107) £107
5 per cent Indian 1942-47 (£109 1/2) £109 1/2
3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1954-59 (£103) £103

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent Australian Loan 1945-70 (£107 ex div) £107

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£74 3/4 ex div) £74 5/8
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£102 1/8) £101 7/8
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£105 3/4) £105 3/4
5 per cent Funding Loan (£112) £112
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£101 3/8) £101 3/8
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£110 7/8) £110 7/8

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Dec 3

2-30 p.m.

After being dull business broadened. Oils were firmer on continental support. Home industrials and kaffirs steady to firm.

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (16-6) 16-6
Marks and Spencer Ordinary (63-1 1/2) 61-10 1/2
Hydro Electric (dol 5 3/8) dol 5 3/8
Musical Industries (17-9) 17-9
Princhin Johnson (38-0) 38-0
Imperial Chemical (36-1 1/2) 36-1 1/2
Woolsworth New Ordinary (72-6) 72-6
Realisation 1930 (£50 nominal) £48 1/2 nominal
Dunlop Rubber (33-0) 33-0
Unilever Ordinary (36-1 1/2) 36-6
Ford Motors (23-6) 23-6
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary (£62 1/2) £64 1/4
British American Tobacco (103-9) 103-9
Carreas 'A' (£8 3/4) £7 7/8
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (146-10 1/2) 146-10 1/2
P and O S N Company Deferred (21-3) 21-3
Distillers (104-0) 104-0
Bredfords Dyers (£5 3/4) £5 3/4
British Celanese (£4 3/8) £4 3/8
J and P Coates Ordinary (42-4 1/2) 42-4 1/2
Courtaulds Ordinary (46-3) 46-3
Fine Cotton Spinners (6-7 1/2) 6-7 1/2
Vickers Limited Ordinary (25-10 1/2) 26-3
Inter Nickels (dol 42 1/2) dol 42 1/2
Indian Iron and Steel Ordinary (56-3)
Tata Steel Preference (£103) £103

TEA SHARES

Assam Company (18-9) 18-9
Donaro Tea (45-0) 42-6
Empire of India (31-3) 30-7 1/2

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (29-9) 29-3
Gula Kelampong (29-4 1/2) 29-4 1/2
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (29-6) 29-0

JUTE SHARES

Barnagore (£9 1/2) £9 1/2

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (52-6) 52-6
Burma Corporation (13-4 1/2) 13-9
Rio Tintos (18-6) 18-9
East Rand Proprietors (57-6) 58-1 1/2
Rand Mines (£7 7/8) £8

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£14 3/8) £14 3/4
Associated Portland Cement (88-3) 86-3
Trinidad Leaseholds (100-0) 100-0
Sub Nigel (£9 1/2) £9 5/8
Spring Mines Split Shares (33-1 1/2) 33-1 1/2
Union Corporation (£7 1/2) £7 1/2

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (40-0) 40-0
Anglo Iranian (79-4 1/2) 79-4 1/2
Burma Oil (115-7 1/2) 116-3
Musical Eagle (12-0) 12-7 1/2
Shell Transport (92-6) 94-4 1/2
Royal Dutch (£37 3/8) £37 7/8

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western (£61 1/4) £61 1/4
L and S Ordinary (£28 7/8) £28 7/8
L N E R Deferred (£4 3/8) £4 3/8
Southern Dutch (£19) £19
London Paris 5 per cent (£126) £126
London Transport 'C' Stock (£81) £81

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Dec 3

To-day's opening rates were as follows:—

General Motors (dol 34 5/8) dol 35 5/8
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 29 3/8 ex div) dol 31 1/4
U S Steel Common (dol 54 3/8) dol 57 1/4
U S Steel Preference (dol 106) dol 106 3/4

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Oils Supported By Continent

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LONDON, Dev. 3.

On the Stock Exchange, weekend considerations curtailed activity but markets made a satisfactory showing. Kaffirs were prominent and transactions and good oils were supported by the continent, while provincial buying helped the industrials, although carreras ordinaries weakened owing to the dividend this year of 35 percent being not up to expectations.

Among commodities, rubber was firm on general trade buying and metals were very steady.

Wall Street opened steady.

JUTE SHARES STEADY

Coals Steadier And Teas Dull

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

Jutes generally kept steady and business was limited. Coals were quieter and only a limited trading took place. The closing was, however, a bit steadier. Teas were dull and neglected. The miscellaneous section disclosed no special importance, the speculative leader, Indian Iron, ruled at about yesterday's levels, while others took no active part and remained more or less in the same region amongst others. Indian General Navigation Ordy. kept steady. Government securities were steady and unchanged. The following were the closing quotations:—

Securities: Three per cent loan 1941 103/7; three and half per cent G. P. 98/9; four per cent loan 1960/70 113/13; five per cent loan 1939/44 104/14.

Banks:—Allahabad pref. 142; Ballygunge 105; Imperial fully paid 1572; Reserve Bank 125.

Cotton:—Cawnpore Textiles 2/14; Gaya cotton and jute ordy. 10; New Victoria ordy. 1/23; do pref. 4/7.

Coals:—Amalgamated 26/4; Bengal 356; small lots; Bhalgora 5/3; Burrakur 16/6; Burrakur prof. 135/8; Churula 2/2; Dhemo Main 12/15; Ghusick and Muslia 4/5; Nazira 9/10; North Damuda 7/6; New Beerbhoom 21/12; Searsole 4/12; Talcher 1/10; West Jamuria 30/4.

Jutes:—Anglo-India 295; Bally 167; Barnagore 125 small lot; Craig 1/2; Champdany 149 small lot; Gourepore pref. 132 ex div; Fort William 210; Howrah 48/10; Hooghly pref. 17 odd lot; Hooghly ordy. 42 odd lot; Khardah pref. 125 small lot; National 20/10.

Miscellaneous:—Burma Corporation 8/13; Consolidated tin 6/10; Indian Copper 2/11; Rhodesia Copper 2/4; Tavoy tin 2/5; Dalmia Cement defd. 3/4; Burn and Company ordy. 280/8; Hukumchand Steel defd. 3/2; Indian Iron and Steel 37/9; Indian Malleable Casting defd. 2/7; Kumardhubi Engineering ordy. 3/6; Kumardhubi Engineering pref. 79; Marshalls 1/7; Steel Corporation ordy. 7; Steel Corporation pref. 83 ex div; British India Corporation ordy. 3/12; Cold Storage ordy. 8; Cold Storage pref. 85; Dunlop Rubber ordy. 16/8; Indian Cables 14/2; National safe deposit 3/15 disc; Rohtas Industries ordy. 19/8; Rohtas Industries pref. 127; British Burma Petrol 4/9; British Ceylon Corporation 6/12; Orient Paper 7/10; Titaghur Paper B. ordy. 18/8; Assam Saws 1/6; Bengal Assam Steamship ordy. 255; Indian General Navigation ordy. 110; Dyer Meakin Burma 65 odd lot.

Teas:—Singell 62/8.

Debentures—Three and a quarter per cent 1956/66 Howrah Bridge 101/8.

Five and half per cent 1915/30/40 Dalhousie Property 101/8.—A. P.

ID SPORTS AND DINNER

The Secretary, United Muslim Association, states:

On the 6th December, 1937, at 3 p.m. Id Sports programme will commence at the foot-ball ground, Cooperage. Admission is free. All are welcome irrespective of caste and creed.

Later in the night, there would be an Id Dinner, for which Muslims can buy tickets. Some non-Muslims will be invited to join the dinner. Tickets are available at the following places:

Oxford House, Cusrow Baug, Colaba; I. B. Longi and Co., Waterloo Mansion, Apollo Bunder; Elgin Leather Works, 109, Esplanade; S. M. Amin and Bros. Opticians, Abdur Rahman Street; and the Taj Company, Limited, Vizier Building Bhendy Bazar.

Variety Concert In Aid Of Children's Home

An interesting variety programme of music, dance and drama was presented at the New Empire Theatre on Friday evening in aid of the Byramji Jeejibhoy Home for Destitute Children at Matunga. The star turn of the evening was the Manipuri Gopi dance by Fnakshi Rama Rau (Mrs. M. Bhavnani,) performed with rare skill and grace. The children's garba dance with which the programme opened was also an entertaining item and was notable for the surprisingly fine performance of the smallest member of the troupe, a little girl of hardly four years.

The late Sir James Barrie's entertaining play "The Twelve Pound Look", performed by an amateur cast, proved quite a success

Sir Victor Sassoon Gives Half A Lakh

BOMBAY, Dec. 3.

Sir Victor Sassoon has promised a donation of Rs. 50,000 for the Anti-Tuberculosis Fund.—A.P.

CONFISCATED LANDS IN BROACH

To Be Returned To Owners Free Of Cost

AHMEDABAD, Dec. 3.

Information has been received here that some purchasers of the lands confiscated during the Civil Disobedience Movement, in the Jambusar Taluka in the Broach District, have decided to return the lands to the original owners without accepting any price.

This decision has been communicated to the Government.—United Press

Mr. HOOSEINBHOY LALJEE & MAHOMEDBHOY ROWJEE

Resign From Muslim League

Messrs. Hooseinbhoy A. Laljee and Mahomed I. Rowjee have resigned their membership of the Bombay Presidency Muslim League and it is understood their resignations will be considered at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the League on Tuesday.

INDO-BRITISH TRADE TALKS

NEW DELHI, December 3.

Informal discussions among the members of the panel of unofficial advisers to the Indo-British trade talks continued last night and this morning.

A formal meeting of the advisers takes this afternoon in the Imperial Secretariat.—United Press.

Workers Vacate Structures Not Authorised

KARACHI, December 3.

In obedience to Corporation notices, over a thousand Muslim labourers vacated the unauthorised structures put up by them in the Northern outskirts of the City, known as the Regsar Lines.

The plot was originally granted to the Government by the Municipality for the erection of a wireless school, but was later returned and on this site the labourers were living in temporary structures.

They have now been provided with temporary plots in the vicinity by the Corporation for huts. —A.P.

"TUKARAM'S" RECORD

Runs For 52 Weeks Consecutively

The Kamala Nehru Memorial Hospital proposed to be established at Allahabad will be a fitting tribute of a grateful nation to the memory of late Mrs. Kamala Nehru, who wore out her life in the service of the country's poor. In aid of the Memorial Fund, the Gandhi Seva Sena of Bombay has arranged a cinema show at the Krishna Talkies at 10-30 on Sunday morning. The picture to be shown is "Tukaram". The public will do well to fill the theatre. It is a good picture, the popular prices of entrance have been retained, and the proceeds will go to a good cause.

A GOOD PICTURE

The Prabhat Film Company, which produced the film "Tukaram", deserves to be complemented on the picture, which goes to-day into its fifty-second consecutive week at the Central Theatre. This is the only film to be screened a whole year at a single theatre.

"Tukaram" has also brought credit to the Indian industry, having been adjudged at this year's International Exhibition at Venice as one of the three best pictures of the world. Apart from other elements that make a good film, principal merit of "Tukaram" is its essentially Indian theme and treatment. Here is a moral for the industry. Let it produce pictures based on Indian subjects and appealing to Indian sentiment.

Arrested on a charge of committing theft of Rs. 110, belonging to an owner of the grocer shop situated at Dhamkhana, Ragunath Baldeo and Sitaddin Bhagenandin were put up before Magistrate this morning at Mazagaon Police Court, the Magistrate ordered to be remanded in police custody till December 10.

(Continued from Col 7)

Vizagapatam: 237 bags peepal; 40 bags rice.
From Cocanada: 50 bales ctn cloth
From Madras: 63 pkgs dry batteries; 179 bags turmeric; 100 drums bleaching powder; 53 bundles brass scrap.
From Tuticorin: 147 cases mats; 123 bales senna leaves; 228 bales ctn yarn.
From Colombo: 141 casks tallow; 50 bags milk flair, 100 bags peas.
S S Jalabala Agents Scindia Steam Navigation from Rangoon: 24020 bags rice; 102 bales raw cotton.
From Colombo: 5176 bags copra.
From Calicut: 203 jottas coir rope.
From Cochin: 61 bags bleaching ginger.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVED

Bombay, Dec 3

B I S N ss Hatipara of 4893 reg tons Captain W G Amey arrived from Rangoon via Colombo Trivandrum Alleppey Cochin Calicut and Badagra with cargo of rice and timber.

O S Kaisar ss London Maru of 4414 reg tons, Captain M Takagi arrived from Karachi with cargo of cotton scrap iron and general cargo.

B I S N ss Baroda of 1888 reg tons Captain W F Putt arrived from Basra via Persian Gulf Ports Karachi and Kathiawar Coast Ports with passengers and general cargo.

K Nixon ss City of Hongkong of 6071 reg tons Captain H L Walton arrived from Liverpool via Marseilles and Port Said with passengers and general cargo.

P and O S N ss Mooltan of 12823 reg tons, Captain C B Roche arrived from London via Tangier Gibraltar, Marseilles, Port Said and Aden with passengers and general cargo.

Anchor Line ss Circassia of 6557 reg tons Captain W Gemmell arrived from Karachi with passengers and general cargo.

SAILED

Anchor Line ss Circassia of 6597 reg tons, Captain W Gemmell sailed for Marseilles and Liverpool with passengers and cargo.

T Morrison ss Begum of 3656 reg tons Captain O G R Jones sailed for Calcutta via Calicut Coast Ports and Colombo with local cargo.

P and O S N ss Mooltan of 12823 reg tons, Captain C B Roche sailed for Sydney via Colombo and Australian Ports with passengers local and same bottom cargo.

B I S N ss Varsova of 1955 reg tons Captain W J Clarke sailed for Basra via Karachi and Persian Gulf Ports with passengers and local cargo.

P and O S N ss Alipore of 3241 reg tons, Captain G F G Readman sailed for Kobe via Beypore and Colombo with local and same bottom cargo

J Figlay ss Clan Murdoch of 3638 reg tons, Captain P E Williams sailed for Marmagoa via Kathiawar Coast Ports Cochin Calicut and Porebunder with local and same bottom cargo.

LOADING

The following vessels booked for loading on 3-12-37.

S S Lagan Bank (F F C) for American Ports via Colombo Madras and Calcutta.

S S Jalapalaka (Sc. S N) for Tuticorin, Colombo and Rangoon.

S S Jalavijaya (Sc. S N) for Bhavnagar.

S S Shwadgaon (Indo B P) for Rangoon, Calcutta and Chittagong.

STEAMERS IN DOCKS

Alexandra Dock

Bombay, Dec 3

2 Alipore 3241 Beypore 3-12 M M
3 Clan Murdoch 3638 Navlakhi 3-12 Finlay
5 Temple Yard 3126 Dunkirk 7-12 Grahams Trading
14 Takliwa 3742 Durban 8-12 M M
16 Kaiser-I-Hind 6014 London 4-12 M M

Victoria Dock

3 Vita 1955 Karachi 4-12 M M
4 Varsova 1955 Busra 3-12 M M
9 Haideri 912 Malabar Coast 4-12 S Hassum
10/11 Begum 3656 Calcutta 3-12 T Morrison
12/13 Takada 4223 Calcutta 4-12 M M

Prince's Dock

A Alavi 2161 Jeddah N F, T Morrison
B Oostcappelle 348 M Coast NF Merchant S N
R Islami 3617 Jeddah 23-12 T Morrison
D/E Netravati 699 NF NF B S N
N/O Jalabala 2211 Rangoon 8-12 Scindia S N

Steamers Expected

FROM LONDON

Viceroy of India 6-12-37 P and O
Cathay 16-12-37 P and O
Burdwan 4-12 P and O S N
Corfu 9-12-37 P and O S N
Chitral 23-12-37 P and O S N

FROM LIVERPOOL

City of Hongkong 3-12-37 K N

FROM HULL

Kioto 8-12-37 J F

FROM SYDNEY

Strathmore 18-12-37 P and O S N

FROM GENOA

Conte Biancamano 30-12-37 L Triestino

FROM OSLO

Sumatra 4-12-37 L Edwards

FROM CHINA AND JAPAN

Muko Maru 14-12-37 O S Kaisha
Kunishima Maru 9-12-37 N Y K
Anyo Maru 30-12-37 N Y K
Rajputana 24-12-37 P and O S N
Conte Rosso 10-12-37 L Triestino
Ranchi 10-12-37 P and O S N
Victoria 30-12-37 L Triestino

FROM HAMBURG

Almkerk 20-12-37 L Edwards
Woolfsburg 10-12-37 L Edwards

FROM NEW YORK

Pres. Pol. 23-12-37 F F Campbell
Pres. Harrison 9-12-37 F F Campbell
Wellington Court 6-12-37 M M
Sawokla 11-12-37 L Edwards
Lang Bank 4-12-37 F F Campbell

FROM JAVA

Tosari 8-12-37 Volkart Bros.

FROM BASRA

Varala 4-12-37 M M
Barpeta 9-12-37 M M

FROM TRIESTE

Conte Verde 15-12-37 L Triestino

FROM TAUPSE

Br Energy 9-12-37 Anglo Iranian Oil

FROM DURBAN

Tairea 25-12-37 M M
Kenya 11-12-37 M M

FROM BASSEIN

Jairajan 4-12-37 Scindia S N

FROM RANGOON

Jalabala 2-12-37 S S N
Mirzapore 8-12-37 M M

FROM KARACHI

Vita 9-12-37 M M

Sailing Dates

FOR LONDON

Strathmore 18-12-37 P and O
Rajputana 25-12-37 P and O
Ranchi 11-12-37 P and O
Kaiser-I-Hind 4-12-37 P and O

FOR SYDNEY

Cathay 16-12-37 P and O

FOR LIVERPOOL

City of Hongkong N F, Killick Nixon
Temple Yard 7-12 Grahams Trading
Britannia 7-1-38 Anchor Line

FOR NEW YORK

Pres. Harrison 10-12-37 F F Campbell
Pres. Polk 24-12-37 F F Campbell

FOR TRIESTE

Conte Rosso 10-12-37 L Triestino

FOR CHINA AND JAPAN

Nitral 23-12-37 P and O
Nurdwan 7-12-37 P and O S N
Corfu 9-12-37 P and O
Conte Verde 15-12-37 L Triestino
Koyooka Maru 1-12-37 N Y K
Kunishima Maru 23-12-37 N Y K
Conte Biancomano 30-12-37 L Triestino
London Maru 8-12-37 O S K

FOR GENOA

Victoria 30-12-37 L Triestino

FOR JEDDAH

Alavi 25-12-37 T Morrison
Islami 23-12 T Morrison

FOR KARACHI

Vita 11-12-37 M M
Ellora 6-12-37 M M

FOR RANGOON

Jalabala 8-12-37 Scindia S N

FOR BASRA

Baroda 8-12-37 M M
Varela 9-12-37 M M

FOR DURBAN

Kenya 22-12-37 M M
Takliwa 8-12-37 M M

FOR CALCUTTA

Takada 4-12-37 M M

B. P. T. GENERAL LANDING DATES

S S Cl Murdoch 1-12-37
S S Unicoi (boats American cotton) 1-12-37
S S Cl Murdoch (boats American cotton) 1-12-37
S S Pres Adams (boats American cotton) 1-12-37
S S Victoria Marie 1-12-37
S S Victoria (boats) 1-12-37
S S Alavi 2-12-37
S S Dayawati 2-12-37
S S Noorjhan (boats) 2-12-37

EXPORTS

S S City of Hongkong for Antwerp: 1750 tons manganese ore Shivrajpur Syndicate; 200 bales hemp raw D Anandji; 9000 pkts g nut oil cake A Oomerbhoy; 4900 bags g nut oil cake H Rawji; 55 bales cotton waste clean M Chandulal.

For Marseilles: 55 bales cotton raw H Nensey; 28 bales cotton waste clean T Laxmidas.

For Liverpool: 125 bales cotton raw A Clayton; 100 bales cotton twist waste P O Vora: 1360 bags g nut oil cake P M Kataria; 2012 bags g nut oil cake Ralli Bros; 1341 bags linseed oil cake Ralli Bros.

For London: 133 bags g nut kernal R Ratilal.

For Dunkirk: 56 bales hemp raw D Anandji; 40 bales cotton waste clean C Jairam.

For Philadelphia: 30 bales wool raw Bombay Shipping Agency

S S Kaiser-I-Hind for Izmir: 35 bales grey cotton yarn R Shantilal; 25 bales grey cotton yarn A H Diab

For Istambul: 35 bales grey cotton yarn R Shantilal; 52 bales g m cotton yarn A H Diab

For London: 25 bales cotton coid yarn A H Diab

For Alexandretta: 40 bales cotton g m yarn A H Diab.

S S Lagan Bank for Valpariso: 64 bgs g nut seed R Ratilal.

S S Burdwan for Hongkong: 40 bales grey cotton yarn Pavri and Sons; 10 bales grey cotton yarn Anglo Siam Corporation; 17 bags shark fins E Moledina; 43 bags shark fins H A Mohamed; 300 bags gum E Mavji;

For Sydney: 96 bales cotton twist waste Jani and Co.

S S Temple Yard for Antwerp: 4000 pkts copra oil cake A Oomerbhoy; 1334 bags g nut oil cake K Prasad; 4170 bgs g nut oil cake H Rawji; 366 bags gum K Dipachand.

For Rotterdam: 4822 bags g nut oil cake H Rawji

S S London Maru for Osaka: 120 bgs aluminium scrap G Gabriel

For Nagoya: 110 tons iron scrap C Manilal.

For Kobe: 100 bales cotton raw Kotak and Co.

IMPORTS

S S London Maru Agents O S Kaisha from Singapore: 1705 bags betelnuts; 70 bags gum; 986 bags sago flour; 1438 bags rattan; 72 bundles pine apples.

From Penang: 359 bags pearl tapioca; 275 cases refined tin.

From Colombo: 5737 bags copra; 700 bales cassia.

From Tokyo: 240 cases grey cotton yarn.

From Otarsi: 675 bags potato starch; 500 bags ferma supra.

From Shimizu: 569 cases green tea.

From Rumoi: 50 bags potato starch.

From Moji: 152 cases sanitaryware; 73 cases veg wax; 50 cases earthenware; 292 cases window glass; 100 drums calcium carbide; 300 bales straw boards; 80 kegs sodium hyposulphite.

From Nagoya: 518 cases tiles; 417 cases porcelainware; 55 cts chestwood; 130 cases glass bottles; 126 cases weaving machy; 201 cases glassware; 213 cases grey ctn shirting.

From Yokkaichi: 80 pkgs earthenware

From Fusan: 81 cases porcelainware

From Osaka: 294 cases ctn yarn; 623 bundles galvd flat sheets; 45 cases art silk yarn; 393 cases ctn piecegoods; 200 coils bright steel wire; 45 cases silk yarn; 225 cases staple fibre yarn; 56 drums dyestuff; 602 cases rayon yarn; 610 cases glass bangles; 250 cases paint; 400 bags red lead; 140 cases sheet glass; 436 cases glassware; 344 cases glass bottles empty; 1800 bags silica cement; 68 cases warp ring spinning; 50 cases varnish; 50 bags glue; 62 cases textile machy; 211 cases bicycle fittings and parts, 100 cts hydrogen peroxide; 82 cases porcelainware; 155 cts chestwood; 35 cases w/n suitings;

From Kobe: 516 cases ctn piecegoods; 412 cases ctn and art silk mixed piecegoods; 65 cases ctn and art silk mixed yarn; 86 cases silk goods; 260 cases weaving machy and accessories; 965 cases art silk yarn; 51 cases staple fibre yarn; 60 cases w/n piecegoods; 142 cases silk yarn spun; 50 cases rayon yarn; 83 loose motor car tyres; 75 cases ctn and rayon yarn; 125 cases ctn yarn; 59 cases rayon goods; 44 cases gramophones; 1133 cts tiles; 573 cases rayon and ctn piecegoods.

S S Surada Agents M Mackenzie from

(Continued in Col. 5.)

Trade Buying And Covering In Cotton

RUMOURS OF DESTERILIZATION OF ONE BILLION DOLLARS OF GOLD

Bulk Of Arrivals Go Into Loans

BOMBAY, Dec. 3.

On Thursday the New York cotton market was very steady on trade buying and short covering.

Prices improved with stocks on rumours of desterilization of one billion of gold.

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Though prices on the New York cotton market marked higher on Thursday, operations were largely of a routine nature with movements restricted, pending legislative developments. The market opened quiet. Moderate hedging, selling and foreign selling met domestic trade price-fixing and New Orleans buying. Liverpool was credited with selling January and March, supposedly on difference and buying July and October possibly for new straddle positions. The spot situation continued in a deadlock state. Finally New Orleans and short covering appeared with session closing steady.

PRICE MOVEMENT

The New York market opened at a rise of one point with March 7.91 but declined to 7.87 during the first hour on increased selling and this proved to be the low level for the day.

Later on there was improved buying. New arrivals were going into loan and there was scarcity of offerings. Prices advanced 10 points from the low level and March was quoted 7.97 which was the highest level. The market closed at a net rise of 10 to 6 points. Spot cotton prices improved 6 points at 8.06c. per lb.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

The New Orleans Cotton futures market was steady and closed at a rise of 7 to 9 points. Spot cotton prices were raised 7 points at 8.10c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

The Liverpool cotton futures market opened at a decline of 2 points with January 4.49. Speculative interest was lacking pending Farm Bill developments. Hedging and Manchester selling met with a support from a local house. Later there was straddle buying of near positions and straddle selling of distants with hedging and trade calling. The market closed at a decline of 2 to 3 points. Middling American spot cotton prices declined 3 points at 4.62d. per lb.

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Egyptian Cotton ring was quiet. Giza futures closed at a decline of 2 points to unchanged while Uppers closed 2 to 5 points.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET.

The Alexandria market was quiet with a restricted turnover. Sakels futures closed 7 to 5 points while Ashmouni futures closed unchanged to 4 points down.

TRADE-DEADLOCK

"The Bureau crop estimate was again surprisingly large and it again failed to have more than a temporary influence. After values declined to near the 7¼-cent level the Government loan again checked selling, resulting in a scarcity of contracts. A considerable amount of cotton is going into the loan and still more is being held off the market pending developments in the assurance that it can be placed in the loan at any time.

PRICES SUSTAINED

With little cotton available prices have easily been sustained by moderate trade support and scattered buying partly on foreign account, prompted by the weakness of the dollar compared with foreign currencies, by the upturn in the stock market, and by the steadier tone of other commodities. General demand, however, is limited; buying has been discouraged by the inactivity of spots and textiles, and advances have been checked by December liquidation.

Spot merchants complain that while spots are hard to buy they are still harder to sell. The situation remains deadlocked, with no real solution in sight. Some hope is entertained that the possibility of business improvement and the evidences of the Government's tendency to modify restrictions will extend to textiles and promote renewed buying of spots.

UNPICKED COTTON

Much cotton is still in the fields unpicked and subject to deterioration of quality. Little attention, however, is being given to future prospects and to statistics, the whole situation being considered to be artificial. Discussions at Washington of the proposed farm legislation are still very controversial, giving little definite indication of the final form that the bill may assume. There is much discussion of the question of the method of crop control and also of the means of financing it, including the advisability of a processing tax in some form which could pass the constitutional test. Many observers are still doubtful of the possibility of passing the bill during the special session of Congress".—"M. G. C."

PRIVATE CABLES.

N. Y. March Highest (2-59 p.m.)	7.97+07
N. Y. March Lowest (10-57 a.m.)	7.87—03
Liverpool January Highest	4.50—01
Liverpool January Lowest	4.48—03

Messrs. Devkaran Nanjee have received the following telegram from New York:—

"Principal feature domestic mills transferring long old crop months to October Rallied on the strength of securities."

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co., Ltd. have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool.—Inactive professional market Situation still appears almost complete deadlock. Heavy loan deliveres offset by declining consumption and continued legislative delays. Bureau now expected around 1,84,00,000 bales.

Liverpool.—Market dull with downward tendency. Market weighed down by the daily sales of "hedges" owing to heavy import. Market awaiting Government intervention.

New York.—Disappointment over Congress action on Farm Bill also continued dullness of textile caused recent decline. Expect traders market for time being. Prefer buying on declines.

New York.—Market firmed with stocks on rumours of desterilization of one bullion Dollars of gold.

Messrs. Bishwambharlal Maheshwari have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool:—

Although hedging light market heavy owing uncertainty U.S.A. farm legislation think not much fall owing bulk entering loan and contracts getting scarcer if constructive news crop control think market likely advance.

Market dull with downward tendency market weighted down by the daily sales of hedges owing to heavy import market awaiting Government intervention.

New York:—

Spot demand stagnant narrow market and is easily affected either way think well of selling on bulges but only for a turn.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Dec. 2.

January	7.96+10
March	7.96+06
May	8.02+06
July	8.08+07
October	8.12+09
Middling Spot	8.06+06

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, Dec. 2.

December	8.01+02
January	8.06+09
March	8.10+07
Middling Spot	8.10+07
11 a.m. Ranges.—	
January	7.85/7.84
March	7.87/7.87
May	7.94/7.94
Noon Call—	
March	7.88
May	7.94

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS

New York, Dec. 2.

Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	27,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	23,006
Day's Exports to the Continent	27,000
Day's Exports to China and Japan	Nil

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Dec. 2.

December	4.46—01
January	4.48—03
February	4.51—02
March	4.54—02
April	4.56—02
May	4.59—02
June	4.60—03
July	4.62—03
August	4.63—03
September	4.65—03
October	4.67—03
November	4.68—03
Middling Spot	4.62—03
10-12 a.m. quotations.—	
January	4.49
March	4.55

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, Dec. 2.

GIZA—	
Spot	7.05—4.
January	6.30—2.
March	6.39—2.
May	6.45—0.
July	6.50—2.
October	6.62—2.
November	6.58—2.
UPPERS—	
Spot	5.91—1.
January	5.55—2.
March	5.55—3.
May	5.58—4.
July	5.61—5.
October	5.68—5.
November	5.68—5.
F. G. F. Spot	8.08

INDIAN COTTON

Liverpool, Dec. 2.

BROACH—	
Fully Good (Good staple)	3.80
Fine Good (Good staple)	3.95
Superfine (Good staple)	4.10
OOMRA—	
Fine (No 1 staple)	3.95
Superfine (No 1 staple)	4.10
Choice (No 1 staple)	4.25
BENGAL—	
Good	3.44
Fully Good	3.54
Fine	3.69

LONDON SEEDS.

London, Dec. 2.

Linseed La Plata Hull c.i.f. ton December sellers	£12/6/3
Linseed Calcutta London c.i.f. ton December sellers	£14/17/6
Linseed Bombay London c.i.f. ton Dec/Jan. sellers	£14/17/6
Rapeseed Toria Hull/Cont. c.i.f. ton Dec/Jan. sellers	£13/15/0
Castorseed Bombay Hull c.i.f. ton Dec/Jan. sellers	£14/0/0

LONDON PRODUCE.

London, Dec. 2.

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe parcels Jan/Feb. sellers	39/7 1/2
Wheat Parletta Russo parcels December sellers	45/6
Wheat South Australian parcels December sellers	39/3

LINSEED OIL

London, Dec. 2.

Linseed Oil, naked London per cwt. December paid sellers	26/4 1/2
Linseed Oil, naked London per cwt. Jan/Apl. paid sellers	26/6

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Following a rise of 6 points in New York cotton futures, the local market opened at Rs. 163 for Broach A./M. delivery and improved to Rs. 163/12 on scattered buying but there being no follow-up on the buying prices reached to Rs. 163. Pending the Bureau report and Farm Bill developments there is less disposition to operate.

The Liverpool market was due to open at a rise of 6 points but it opened quiet at a rise of 4 points only which influenced some selling in the local market closed at 5 p.m. as under:—

Broach April/May	161	14	0
Broach July/August	163	14	0
Oomra Dec/Jan.	145	4	0
Oomra March	145	4	0
Oomra May	147	0	0
Bengal Dec/Jan	126	0	0
Bengal March	127	0	0

Cotton Room Rates

Bombay, Dec 3

	Extra Sprfine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M G—					
Bengal U P	137	134	131	128	
Punjab	137	134	131	128	
Oomra No. 3	159	156	153	150	
C P No. 1	170	167	164	161	
C P No. 2	164	161	158	155	

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, Dec 3

Bengal Fine new 135/37
C P 1 new 163/65 Dec +13
C P 2 new 159/61 Dec +9
Arvi new 159/61 Dec +9
Berar new 156/58 old 118/23 Dec +4
Khandesh new 148/49 old 118/23 Dec +4
Jaina Sailu new 148/49 old 118/23
Burwah Sanavad old 118/23
Mathia old 78/98
Broach old 148/53
Punjab 4 F Dec +18/20
Punjab 289 F Dec +67/70
Sindh 4 F new 181/83 Dec +15/17
Sindh N T new 213/18 Dec +50/52 new Mr/Ap
Kampala old 298/303 new +119
Manza new 266/68

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, Dec 3

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY
Since 1st Sept.

In full-pressed bales

	Yesterday.	This year.
Khandesh		752
Central India		133
Barsi and Nagar	41	2,160
Hyderabad Gaorani		320
Berar	225	6,951
Central Provinces		944
Total Oomras	296	11,260
Dholera		1,905
N W Provinces		1,177
Rajputana		52
Sind Punjab	2,511	71,473
Broach		1,406
Coompta and Dharwar		6,111
Westerns Northerns		727
Cocoanada		12
Tinnevelly and Cambodia		809
American	2,635	3,659
Egyptian, African and Sudan	1,130	95,621
Comilla, Burma and other sorts		288
Total	6,572	194,680

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept to 25th Nov

In full-pressed bales

	Yesterday.	This year.
Europe	20	42,144
Japan and China	350	52,415
Coast Ports	50	19,535
Up-country by Rail		87,784
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan		3,298
Total	420	205,146

American Cotton Figures

	1937-38	1936-37
F P Bales		
Receipts to date 2-12-37	5032	4699000
Receipts yesterday 2-12-37	27000	47000
Exports to date 2-12-37	2611000	2419000
Stock at Ports 26-11-37	3314000	2986000
Stock at Interior Towns 26-11-37	2499000	2397000
Stock at Liverpool 26-11-37	866000	812000
Visible Supply 26-11-37	7388000	6780000
Quantity in sight 26-11-37	8795000	8312000
Quantity out of sight 26-11-37	4288000	4874000

Cotton Arrivals

Receipts into Bombay on 1st December 5,897

Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1937 187,938
Receipts into Bombay same time last season 245,515

Decrease 57,607

Cotton Straddles

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES.

New York—Liverpool:—
Jan. 148 March 160 May 164 July 164 Oct. 170 at Cross Rate 4.99 5/16.

Bombay—Liverpool:—
Broach A/M. 1938 163—Liverpool May 1938 4.6. Rs. 39 1/2 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—Liverpool:—
Broach J/A. 1938 165/8 Liverpool July 4.68 Rs. 38 1/4 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—New York:—
Broach A/M. 1938 163—New York May 8.02 Rs. 15 1/2 at Cross Rate 4.99 5/16.

Bombay—New York:—
Broach J/A. 1938 165/8—New York July 8.08 Rs. 14 1/4 at Cross Rate 4.99 5/16.

Cotton Teji Mandi

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Teji/Mandi for (12-12-37) Rs. 5-4-0.	Broach	April/May
Teji/Mandi for (31-3-38) Rs. 14-5-0	Broach	April/May
Teji/Mandi for (30-8-38) Rs. 22-0-0.	Broach	J/August

GOLD & SILVER

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Yesterday London gold prices declined 4d. to £7. London-Paris Exchange rate was 5 points up at 147.10. Dollar Sterling Cross rate was 4.99 5/8 London silver prices declined 1/16d. to 19 5/8d. Prices fell in the absence of support. Business was small. The market was quiet and later on small business was done at fixed prices.

New York spot silver prices closed unchanged at 44-3/4 cents. Montreal silver futures declined 5 points. Shanghai T. T. on London was quoted 1.2-1/4. The local market was quiet with a small business. There was less inclination to buy and the undertone was easy.

GOLD

Ready	34	8	0
Magsar delivery	34	8	9
Posh delivery	34	9	0

SILVER

Ready	49	14	0
Magsar delivery	49	14	6
Posh delivery	50	0	0

LONDON SILVER

London, Dec. 2.

Spot	19 5/8
Forward	19 1/2

LONDON GOLD.

London, Dec. 2.

Gold Bars Fine per oz £7/0/0

Montreal Silver

Montreal, Dec. 2.

December	44.70—05
January	44.65—05
March	44.55—05

Bombay Metals

Bombay, Dec 3

London market—	
Standard copper cash (buyers)	£39-17-6
Standard copper 3 months	£40-2-6
Electrolytic copper	£45-10-0
Bombay market—	
Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 40-0-0
Copper sheets	Rs. 43-0-0

Tone: Steady.

LONDON METALS

London, Dec. 2.

Copper	£40	1	3
Lead	£16	6	3
Spelter	£16	0	0
Tin	£191	10	0

LINSEED & WHEAT

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Yesterday there being free offerings from Australia and Russia, the Liverpool wheat market was quiet. Chicago and Winnipeg wheat markets were steady on better expert enquiry. The local market was dull and featureless. In view of weak statistical position we prefer sales on all strong markets.

Linseed May	7	11	6
Wheat, January	5	4	9
Wheat May	5	0	6

Groundnuts Coromandel

London, Dec 2

January £11-10-0

Groundnuts & Seeds

Bombay, Dec 3

Groundnuts Feb—
Opening 31 4 0
Highest 31 4 0
Lowest 30 12 6
Closing 30 13 6
Castorseeds May—
Opening 34 15 0
Highest 35 0 0
Lowest 34 3 0
Closing 34 5 0
Cottonseeds Jan—
Opening 20 4 0
Highest 20 8 0
Lowest 20 2 9
Closing 20 3 6

Liverpool Wheat

Liverpool, Dec 2

December	92 1/2d.
March	91 7/8d.
May	92d.

Wheat Chicago

Chicago, Dec 2

December	dol 0.94
May	dol 0.92 1/2
July	dol 0.86 1/2

LONDON SUGAR

London, Dec. 2.

March ..... sh 6/3 1/2d.

New York Sugar

New York, Dec. 2

March	2.36 —1
May	2.37 —2
July	2.37 —3
September	2.38 —2

Bombay Sugar

Bombay, Dec. 3

Ready Java	Rs.	15	9 0
Shipment December	Rs.	5	12 6
Shipment Jan March	Rs.	5	13 6
Kesar	Rs.	11	4 0
Saraya	Rs.	11	2 0
Java Spot	F	7.00	

Alexandria Cotton

Alexandria, Nov. 2.

SAKEL—	
January	13.98—6.
March	13.78—7.
May	13.67—5.
ASHMOUNI—	
December	9.63—0.
February	9.64—3.
April	9.71—4.
GIZA—	
January	11.61—7.
March	11.71—4.
May	11.77—3.

Osaka Sampin

Osaka, Dec. 2.

December	238.90+130
February	227.50
March	228.00
April	229.20
June	233.90

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, Dec. 3.

B. C. RATES—
T. T. D D. 1/6 1/16
LONDON—
Bank selling T T D D 1/6 3/32
Bank buying T T 1/6 5/32
Banks buying D D 1/6 3/16
Banks buying 3 months 1/6 7/32
NEW YORK—
Bank's selling T T 266 1/2
Bank's buying T T 264 3/4
PARIS—
Bank's selling T T 1,100
Bank's buying T T 1,120
JAPAN—
Bank selling T T 77 1/2
Banks buying T T 77
AMSTERDAM—
Bank's selling D D 67 3/8
JAVA—
Bank's selling D D 67 1/8
HONGKONG—
Bank's selling D D 83 5/8
SHANGHAI—
Bank's selling D D 79 5/8
SINGAPORE—
Bank's selling D D 156 1/8
BERLIN—
Bank's selling D D 92
CROSS RATE—
New York/London 4.99.31 2nd instant.
Japan/London 1/2 1/32 3rd instant.
Hongkong/London 1/3 1/32 3rd instant.
Shanghai/London 1/2 1/4 3rd instant.
Java/London 8.96 1/4 3rd instant.
London/Paris 147.10 2nd instant.
London/Belgium 29.37 2nd instant.
London/Switzerland 21.59 3/4 2nd instant.
London/Berlin 12.38 1/2 2nd instant.
London/Stockholm 19.39 1/2 2nd instant.
London/New York 4.99.32 2nd instant.
London/Amsterdam 8.98 1/2 2nd instant
London/Italy 94.87 2nd instant.
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.
Gold £7-0-0 1/2 1st instant.
Gold £7-0-0 2nd instant.
Silver London Ready 19 11/16 1st instant.
Silver London Ready 19 5/8 2nd instant
Silver London Forward 19 9/16 1st instant.
Silver London Forward 19 1/2 2nd instant.
Silver New York Ready 45 1st instant
Silver New York Ready 45 2nd instant
London Discounts 3 months 13/16 per cent 1st instant.
London Discounts 3 months 13/16 per cent 2nd instant.
London Discounts 6 months 3/4 per cent 1st instant.
London Discounts 6 months 3/4 per cent 2nd instant.
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent
Money:—
Call 1/2 per cent
3 months 3/4 per cent.
6 months 1 per cent.
Tone:—Easy

Indian Sterling Loans

London, Dec. 2.

Call Loan London	1/2
3 per cent	79 3/4 XD.
3 1/2 per cent	98 5/8 XD.
3 1/2 per cent 1954/59	102 3/4
4 per cent 1948/53	107
4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	112
4 1/2 per cent 1958/68	114 1/2
3 per cent 1948/47	105 1/2
3 per cent 1949/52	98 1/2
2 1/2 per cent British Consols	74 5/8XD
3 1/2 per cent War Loan	101 3/8
4 per cent Funding Loan 1960/90	112
Indian Iron and Steel New Ordy steady	56/3

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN

London, Dec 2

	This week
	£
Total Bullion	327,700,000
Public Deposits	12,000,000
Other Deposits (a)	142,200,000
Government Securities	78,800,000
Other Securities (b)	31,200,000
Notes and Coin	62,000,000
Notes in circulation	485,700,000
Ratio of Reserve to Liabilities	40.21 p.c.
(a) Other Deposits include Bankers	105,700,000
(b) Other securities include Discounts and Advances	10,500,000

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES.

London, Dec. 2.

Bank Bills 3 months market rate 3/4 per cent to 13/16 per cent.
Bank Bill. 6 months market rate 3/4 per cent to 3/4 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 3 months market rate 2 per cent to 2 1/2 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 6 months market rate 2 1/2 per cent to 3 per cent.
Interest day to day loan 1/2 per cent to 1/2 per cent.
Interest 7 days' market loan 1/2 per cent.

LONDON EXCHANGES.

London, Dec. 2.

T. T. London on.—	
New York	4.99.32
Paris	147.10
Berlin	12.38 1/2
Madrid	76.00
Amsterdam	8.98 9/16
Brussels	29.37
Milan	94.87
Berne	21.59 3/4
Prague	142.00

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Dec. 2.

Rupee paper 3 1/2 per cent	£73
Indian Stock 3 per cent 1948	£79 3/4XD
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£93 5/8XD
Indian Stock 4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	£112
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£74 5/8XD.
Conversion Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£101 7/8
War Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952	£101 3/8
Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£112
Victory Bonds 4 per cent	£110 7/8
Chartered Ban' of India A. and China	£12 3/8
Hongkong anr Shanghai Bank London reg.	£90
National Bank o. India	£42
P and O Banking Corporation	£9 5/8

LONDON RUBBER.

London, Dec. 2.

Smoked sheets standard ribbed per lb. sellers 7 1/4

NEW YORK COFFEE

New York, Dec. 2.

Fair Rio Coffee No 7 quality ... 9 1/4

Further Weakness In Steel Shares

MONTH-END EVENING UP OF OPEN BUSINESS

Market Without Support

BOMBAY: December 3.

To-day there was further weakness in Tata Steel shares despite fairly steady Wall-Street advices.

There was absence of Bear pressure, but it being the end of the month, there was considerable evening up of open business.

Professional Bulls did not support the market, there was some short covering at low levels which saved the market from a further collapse.

As pointed out before the confidence is impaired and many outsiders have once again suffered heavy losses which will be difficult to be collected.

The decline in Steel shares had a damping effect on other Sections and Cotton Mill shares also ruled easy.

The market opened steady at about the previous closing level, but there being no buyers prices soon declined where short covering sustained the market.

The losses sustained by longs will have a lasting effect and we do not look for any sustained improvement. But low levels will not encourage short sales.

Prices reached new low levels to-day and the short covering failed to have any important effect. Peace move towards Sino-Japanese War influenced heavy liquidation in Cotton Mill shares. To-morrow is the last day for adjustment of outstandings of the December Vaida.

TEXTILE SHARES.

BOMBAY, Dec. 3.

	Rs.	As.
100 Ahm. Advance (Rs. 6)	385	0
250 BOM. DYEING (Rs. 25)	980	0
100 CENTURY	236	4
100 CEN. INDIA (Rs. 4)	273	12
100 COLABA (Rs. 2-8)	240	0
100 Coorla (Rs. 5)	110	0
250 David	75	0
250 Dawn (Rs. 10)	410	0
1 E.D Sassoon (nil)	0-7	0
100 Finlay (Rs. 2)	145	0
166 GOKAK (Rs. 4-8)	202	8
1000 Hindustan (Rs. 75)	1 720	0
100 Indore	72	8
100 Khatau (Rs. 3)	148	2
100 KOHINOOR (Rs. 10)	343	12
250 Laxmi (Rs. 12-8)	625	0
250 Madras United	35	0
1000 Morarji (nil)	1255	0
250 Model	56	4
50 MYSORE (Rs. 2)	120	0
200 NEW GREAT (nil)	301	4
100 Osmanshahi (Re. 1)	46	8
100 Phoenix (nil)	295	0
25 SASSOON SILK (Rs. 2)	64	0
1000 Sholapur (Rs. 50)	2,000	0
50 SIMPLEX (Rs. 2)	100	10
100 SWADESHI (Rs. 5)	261	4
100 Swan	120	10
500 Vishnu (Rs. 50)	1,440	0
1000 Western (Rs. 10)	915	0
BANKS.		
50-100 Baroda (Rs. 2-8)	117	8
25-50 Central (Rs. 12)	29	14
500 Imperial (Rs. 30)	1590	0
125-500 I. Conty (Rs. 7-8)	392	8
50-100 India (Rs. 2-8)	141	4
100 Reserve Bank (Rs. 3-8)	126	4
5 Union (As. 4)	5-8-0	
CEMENTS.		
100 ASSOCIATED	140	0
INSURANCE.		
100-500 Empire (Rs. 14)	970	0
15-100 Jupiter (As. 12)	15	0
20 Mercantile	55	0
15-75 New India (Rs. 1-4)	41	8
200 Oriental (125)	4,400	0
10-50 Vulcan (Rs. 8)	7	8
ELECTRIC.		
100 Ahm. Old	142	8
1000 ANDHRA VALLEY (Rs. 40)	1530	0
10 Ajmer (As. 4)	13	2
BAY TRAM (Rs. 2-8)	116	14
100 B'bay Suburban (Rs. 6)	165	0
10 Broach (As. 5)	14	0
100 Karachi (4)	232	8
100 Poona (4)	212	8
100 Surat (Rs. 6)	195	0
100 TATA HYDRO (Rs. 5)	149	6
TATA POWER (Rs. 37-8)	1422	8
RAILWAYS.		
500 Ahmedabad Prantij	946	4
100 C. Province	98	0
100 Dhond Baramati	104	4
100 Gujarat	96	8
100 Mandra Bhon	97	8
100 Pachora Jamner	94	12
100 Sara Sirajgunj	100	0
500 Tapti Valley	758	12
MININGS.		
9 Burma Corp. (As. 11)	8	13
8sh. Indian Copper (As. 1-6)	2	10
10 Indian Iron and Steel (Re. 1)	37	4
10 SHIVRAJPUR (Rs. 2)	57	0
30 TATA STEEL DFD. (Rs. 36-3-6)	1305	0
75 TATA STEEL ORD. (Rs. 10)	297	0
MISCELLANEOUS.		
100 ALCOCK (Rs. 5)	320	0
50 BELAPUR SUGAR (Rs. 6)	174	6
200-250 B'bay Safe Dep. (Rs. 13-12)	855	0
250 Bombay Steam (Rs. 13-12)	252	8
125 B BURMA (Rs. 12)	707	8
50 D County (Rs 8)	247	8
8sh. Br. B. Petrol (nil)	4	3 6
50 TELEPHONE (Rs. 1-8)	94	12
100 I. BLEACHING (Rs. 3)	140	0
50 I. Invest Trust (Rs. 2)	49	0
100 I. Radio Defd. (12)	527	8
100 I. Radio Ord. (15)	450	0
1000 Port Canning (Rs. 26)	728	12 X.D
PREMIER CON (Rs 2-15)	83	0
15 Scindia	23	6
25 Tata Oil Mill (nil)	28	4
PREFERENCE.		
7 p.c. Andhra Valley	1507	8
6 p.c Bombay Steam	285	0
7 p.c. B'bay Tram (T.F.)	73	8
5 p.c. Central India (T.F.)	537	8
6-1/4 p.c. Prem Const 1st	108	0
6 1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 2nd	103	0
7 p.c. Tata Hydro	150	10
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Power	1547	8
6 1/2 p.c. Tata Steel 1st	202	8
7½ p. c. Tata Steel 2nd	164	8
7 p.c. Vishnu	703	12
DEBENTURES.		
3 3/4 p.c. Andhra Valley	101	8
6 p.c Andhra Valley	108	14
4 p.c Bom. Telephone	52	10
7 p.c. Sholapur	83	12
6 p.c. Tata Hydro	109	6

(Last Dividend in Brackets and Capital letters indicate shares on Forward List).

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Bombay Dyeing (1005)	992	995	985	980
995	975	980		
Century (246/4)	245	230	237	240
235	236			
Central India (281/4)	271	268	275	271
273				
Kohinoor (350/10)	340	342	348	343
New Great (311/4)	310	295	306	301
Simplex (102/8)	100	96	100	
Swadeshi (280)	270	255	262	257
251				
Associated Cement (139/12)	139	138/8		
141	140			
Andhra (1520)	1510	1500		
Tata Power (1432/8)	1430	1415	1430	1422
Tram. Ord. (118/12)	118/12	116/4		
T. Steel Dfd. (1335)	1330	1275	1310	1300
1315	1295	1330	1322	1280
1305				
T. Steel Ord. (300)	302	292	300	299
301	297	303	297	
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. (164/8)	164	165/8		
Bellapur (178/12)	175	177	174	
B. Steam (253/12)	251			
B. Burma (716/4)	717	695	712	705
707				

GOVT. SECURITIES

Bombay, Dec. 3.

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52	100/6
3 per cent 1951/54	102/8
4 per cent 1947	103/10
6 per cent U P Bonds	97
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash	98/12
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 Loan	106/7
4 per cent 1943 Bonds	108/4
4 per cent 1960/70	113/14
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60	119/10
5 per cent 1939/44	104/14
6 per cent 1940/43	108
5 per cent 1945/50 Loan	102/14
TAX FREES.	
4 per cent 1953/63	112/4
5 per cent 1955	123
5 per cent 1945/55	120/12
5 1/2 per cent 1939 Mysore	103
CORPORATION DEBENTURES.	
4 per cent B P T	1974 110
4 per cent M Deb	1974 109
5 per cent M Deb	1948 118/8
5 per cent	1954 131/8
6 per cent K P T	1956 131/8

Note:—3 1/2 per cent Government paper opened to-day at Rs. 98/10 and after improving to Rs. 98/11 prices closed at Rs. 98/10/6

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, Dec. 2.

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dol.
Amr. Wate. Works Com.	14
Amr. Power and Light Com.	8
Amr. Power and Light Pfd. 5 p.c. A	35
Int. Tel and Tel.	7
Northern S. Power A.	13
American Tel. and Tel.	150
Western Union Telg.	27 1/2
Erie Rly	8
New York Central Rly.	19 1/2
Union Pacific Rly.	87
U. S. Rubber	26
Graham Page	2
Boeing Airplane	25
Bethelehem Steel	52
Crucible Steel	31
National Steel	62
Republic Steel	18
United States Steel	57 1/4
Amr. Car Foundry	24
Anaconda Copper Mining XD.	31
Int. Nickel of Canada	43 1/4
Chrysler Motors	58
General Motors	35 1/2
General Electric	42 3/4
American Radiator	15
Union Carbide	XD70 1/2
Socony Oil	15 1/2
National Distillers	23
Chase Bank	30 1/2
National City Bank	27
Sun Life of Canada	425
Doubias Aircraft	33

Market closed strong; indicate better opening. Brokers loan for the week down 8,000,000 dollars. Turnover 940,000 shares.

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ALL CONGRESS M. L. C's TO RESIGN

Mysore Congress Board's Decision: Challenge To Repressive Policy

BANGALORE: December 2.

That all the Congress members of the Mysore Legislative Assembly should resign their seats in the Assembly as a protest against "the repressive policy pursued by the Mysore Government" and seek re-election to demonstrate that the electorate was with them, was the decision arrived at a meeting of the Congress Board here.

Mr. K. Chengalraya Reddy, President of the Board presided.

The meeting of the Board was preceded by an informal meeting at which Congressmen from all parts of the state, members of the Legislative Council, and others were present. The present political situation and the course of action to be adopted by the Congress in the state were discussed at length. A resolution asking Congress members to resign was passed.

The Board also resolved that Congressmen be permitted to offer defence in the cases launched against them arising out of the incidents which happened at Bangalore on October 24 and 25.

A Sub-Committee was formed to frame necessary rules in connection with the forthcoming Congress Convention to be held at Chitaldrug in January next.—A. P.

Lady students of the King George English School, Dadar who have gone to Matheran on a three days' excursion headed by Miss Shertukde (1st from right).

LIFT BAN ON INDIAN EXILES

Political Prisoners' Relief Conference Demand

NEW DELHI, December 3.

At a open session of the Political Prisoners' Relief Conference this morning a resolution demanding the lifting of the ban and the entry of Indian exiles abroad to India was adopted.

The Conference sent greetings to Chinese people on the heroic efforts for protecting their freedom.

A resolution protesting against the conviction of Mr. S. S. Batliwala and demanding a uniform classification of all political prisoners was passed.—United Press.

PARTIAL HARTAL IN DELHI

Protest Against Arrest Of Ex-Kakori Prisoners

NEW DELHI, December 3.

At a public meeting held this morning a resolution protesting against the arrest of five ex-prisoners of the Kakori Conspiracy Case and Pandit Parmanand was adopted.

Dr. Yudvir Singh, who presided, Mr. Asaf Ali, Pandit Indra and Deshbandhu Gupta spoke criticising suppression of civil liberties.

In response to an appeal of the Delhi District Congress a partial 'hartal' was observed in the City.—United Press.

Baroda Assembly

BARODA, December 3.

The Baroda State Representative Assembly Session will open on December 6, under the presidentship of the Dewan, Sir V. T. Krishnamachari. Mr. Nagjibhai Arya has sought permission to introduce a Bill to remove disabilities of the Harijans. There are about 100 resolutions before the session.

INCOME-TAX BILL

Measure For Central Assembly In March

NEW DELHI, December 3.

The "United Press" learns that the Income-tax Bill will be introduced in the Central Assembly in the last week of March and a Select Committee motion will be made in the last week of April.

Except for the Punjab and the United Provinces, Governments of all other Provincial Governments have communicated their views on the Income-tax Report.

Mr. J. F. Sheehy, member of the Central Board of Revenue, assisted by Mr. M. P. Kapadia, has been busy preparing the ground for the draft bill to incorporate Government's decision on the report, and most of the spade work has been completed. Drafting of the Bill will be taken in hand in February next.—United Press.

NAGPUR IN GRIP OF COLD WAVE

(From Our Correspondent).

NAGPUR, Dec. 3.

Nagpur is in grip of a cold wave for the last two days.

A strong cold wind blowing.

The lowest temperature yesterday was 45 degrees.

Palestine's New High Commissioner

LONDON, December 3.

Sir Harold Alfred MacMichael, Governor, Tanganyika, succeeds Gen. Sir Arthur Wauchope, as High Commissioner of Palestine.

Sir Arthur Wauchope relinquishes his appointment at the end of February, 1938.—Reuter.

Subhas Bose's Autobiography

Publishing Firm Accepts Offer

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

The "Hindustan Standard" learns from a special cable received from Vienna that Babu Subhas Chandra Bose has finally accepted the offer of Messrs. Secker and Warburg, Publishers, that he should write his autobiography and appoint them as publishers of his book.

Mr. Bose will start writing his autobiography during his stay at Badgastein and is expected to give the publishers a good portion of his book before he leaves for India early next year.—United Press.

INCOME-TAX COLLECTION

Division Of Functions

NEW DELHI, December 3.

The "United Press" inquiries indicate that Government propose to extend the experiment now being carried out in Bengal in regard to the separation of the Appellate and Inspectorate functions of the Assistant Income-tax Commissioners to Bombay and Madras, and later to other provinces.

The Income-tax Inquiry Committee recommended such separation of functions between the Assistant Commissioners, and the Central Government commenced the experiment in Bengal. Out of six Assistant Commissioners of Income-tax in Bengal, three have been deputed to hear the appeals and three to carry out inspection work. More inspection officers will shortly be appointed in Bombay, where only one exists at present.—United Press.

After attending the Golden Jubilee celebrations of the Maharaja of Bikaner, the Maharaja Scindia reached Gwalior on December 1.

QUIT ORDERS ON 1200 WORKERS

Labour Corps Lines To Go

KARACHI, Dec. 3.

The residents of the Karachi Labour Corps Lines numbering 1,200 have been served with notices by the Municipal Corporation to quit the premises immediately, as the Corporation proposes the demolishing of all buildings including one temple and a mosque. The residents are mostly poor.

It is stated that the Corporation gave the land to the Government sometime ago for starting a wireless school. Later on, Government dropped the idea and the land was passed to a contractor.—United Press.

JOINT ELECTORATES FOR LOCAL BODIES

Bill To Be Brought Before Sind Council

KARACHI, Dec 3.

The Premier, Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, who is also in charge of the Local Self-Government, it is understood, is preparing a Bill to introduce joint electorates in local bodies.

The Bill will be introduced in the February session of the Sind Assembly.—United Press.

RESTRAINT ORDER ON HINDU SABHA SECRETARY

NAGPUR, December 3.

The District Magistrate of Nagpur has warned Mr. Jagannath Prasad Surjuprasad Verma, Secretary of the Nagpur Nagar Hindu Sabha directing him to take part in no action whatsoever, which is likely to promote Hindu-Muslim disaffection or strike.

Mr. Verma was recently given a similar warning by the District Magistrate of Bhandara, under the orders of the Provincial Government.—A. P.

CENSUS OF UNEMPLOYED

Sind Committee's Recommendation

KARACHI, Dec. 3.

A meeting of the Unemployment Committee resolved to obtain census of the educated employed and educated unemployed in the province. Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah presided.

The Committee recommended to Government the advance of loans to small industries. It also opined that it was fallacious to ask the youth to return to the land as agriculture did not pay.—United Press

TASHI LAMA DEAD

NEW DELHI, Dec. 3.

Death occurred on November 30, of Tashi Lama near Jyekunjo, Western China.

Reports received in Delhi from Lasha stated that the Tashi Lama, otherwise known as the Pancham Lama was unwell and religious ceremonies for his recovery were performed in monasteries.

It is now learned that information was later received in Lhassa, by wireless that His Holiness died on November 30. It is believed the death occurred at Jyekunjo, Western China.

It is reported about a month ago the Tashi Lama left China and was on the way to Tibet. Later it is stated he had given up the intention of returning to Tibet and had gone back to China.—A.P.

Sind College Strike Ends

KARACHI, December 3.

Principal Butani of the D. J. Sind College, who is at present at Shikarpur was telegraphically informed by Vice-Principal Gurbuzani that admission has been secured to Talpur in Shikarpur College. On learning this the student strikers dispersed. The college having been closed for three days the strike has been virtually abandoned.—A.P.

Hunger-Strike Threatened Again

Immediate Release Demanded: Wire To Gandhiji & Govt.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

It is reported according to the "Hindustan Standard" that the political prisoners in the Alipore Central Jail have informed Mahatma Gandhi and the Bengal Government by wire that if steps are not taken for their immediate release they would again take recourse to hunger-strike.

The paper adds that no reply to the telegraphic communication has yet been received from Mahatma Gandhi nor have the Bengal Government indicated their attitude in the matter.—A. P.

SUGAR FACTORIES CONTROL

Bihar Bill Goes To Select Committee

PATNA, December 3.

After two days' discussion, the Bihar Sugar Factories Control Bill was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Finance Minister, Messrs. Dwaraka Nath Tewari, Harbans Sahay, Chuturanand Das, Shyamanandan Singh, Chakreshwar Kumar, Jain Dipnarain Singh, T. C. Danby, Tazamul Hussain, W. H. Meyrick, Mallik Mahmud, C. P. N. Sinha, Ahmad Gafur and the mover, Dr. Syed Mahmud, the Development Minister.

The Assembly adjourned till the 10th instant.—United Press.

Facilities For Press In Bihar Assembly

PATNA, December 2

In order to provide additional facilities to the Press in the matter of reporting speeches of members of the Cabinet and Parliamentary Secretaries in the Bihar Legislative Assembly, arrangements have been made by the Information Officer to supply authorised version of such speeches either in summary form or in detail as the occasion demands.

ADJOURNMENT MOVE

It is understood some members of the Congress Party in the Assembly (Kisan Sabhaites) have given notice of an adjournment motion to discuss the Barahiya Tal agrarian situation.

A. I. POSTAL AND R. M. S CONFERENCE

The 16th session of the All-India (including Burma) Postal and R. M. S. Conference will be held at Patna on Saturday and Sunday, the 25th and 26th December, 1937.

A Reception Committee has been formed with Mr. S. A. Aziz, Barrister-at-Law, as Chairman.

Mr. Asaf Ali, Barrister-at-Law, M.L.A. will preside.—United Press.

Dr (Mrs.) Tarabai Punniah, the first lady doctor in Sind, has been nominated on the Bombay Medical Council, on the recommendation of the Government of Sind.

K. P. C. C. MEMBER ARRESTED

Mysore Govt. Warrant Under Sec. 124 (A)

BANGALORE, Dec. 2.

Mr. M. N. Jois, a member of the Karnataka Provincial Congress Committee was arrested at Doddaballapur on a warrant from the District Magistrate, Mysore, under section 124(A) I. P. C.

Mr. M. N. Jois who had just then reached Doddaballapur from Bangalore by bus was scheduled to address a public meeting that evening. He was taken to Mysore in a car.—A. P.

CAWNPORE LABOUR INQUIRY

Slight Breeze Between Chairman And Hariharnath Shastri

CAWNPORE, Dec. 2.

The Cawnpore Labour Enquiry Committee met this afternoon at the Director of Industries' office with Prof. S. K Rudra in the Chair. The other members were Sir Tracy Gavin Jones and Mr. Hariharnath Sastri

Mr. H. A. Wilkinson, Managing Director, and Mr. S. Caterall, Mill Manager, on behalf of the management of the Elgin Mills, were the first witnesses examined by the Chairman.

Mr. Wilkinson submitted a memorandum describing the system of recruitment and supervision of labour prevalent in the Elgin Mills. The recruitment of Labour, he added, was carried on under the direct supervision of the Departmental Manager and was not done by jobbers and mistris. Although preference was sometimes given to relatives of workmen, recruitment was not restricted to a particular caste or district. Jobbers and subordinate clerical staff had no control in this matter

The witnesses could not say whether their system of recruitment, which was introduced about five years ago, had increased efficiency but they were satisfied.

SLIGHT BREEZE

At this stage there was a slight breeze between Sir Tracy and Mr. Sastri, the latter having declined to ask questions to witnesses, as details in the memorandum had not been previously submitted.

Further examination of the witnesses revealed that a record was maintained regarding the work and conduct of labourers and every opportunity was given to the worker to explain his conduct before dismissal, either for bad work or misdemeanor. Cases of bribery and corruption were strictly dealt with in the Mills. As regards leave and other facilities of the workers, the witnesses said, no leave even in cases of sickness was allowed with pay and the Mills worked 301 days in a year.

The Committee adjourned till to-morrow.—A. P.

RAILWAY VAN CATCHES FIRE

BAYAN, December 3.

While a break down train was returning to Gangapur from Bharatpur (B. B. and C. I. Railway) an accident van caught fire last night and was completely burnt down.

Two men of the loco staff, Shivcharan and Gulab Genda, died of severe burns and seven other men of the loco staff sustained injuries.—A. P

Black Flags For Punjab Minister

SHEIKHUPURA, December 2.

The Hon. Sir Chhotu Ram, Minister for Development, who arrived here by car yesterday evening, was greeted with black flags by about fifty persons including two Municipal Commissioners.

Shouts were raised asking the Minister to go back.—United Press.

Edgar Wallace's Detective Story Day By Day

INSPECTOR WADE — "THE BLACK"

IT'S HORRIBLE ---IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR YOU, ASSIM WOULD HAVE DRAGGED ME FROM THE PLANE WITH HIM!
TAKE IT EASY, SHASTA --- IT'S OVER AND ASSIM IS DEAD--- THERE'S NO ONE TO KEEP YOU FROM TALKING NOW!
FINALLY SHASTA TALKS--
---AND THAT'S WHY HAMON ORDERED ASSIM TO MURDER SLONE---TO GET BACK THE PAPER THAT PROVED HAMON KILLED BILL MORLAKE!
YOU HEARD HER, HAMON ---WHERE'S THAT PAPER?
YOU SEARCHED FOR IT ALREADY AND COULDN'T FIND IT--- I TELL YOU I NEVER HEARD OF ANY PAPER!
JUST A MOMENT, HAMON--- THAT CIGAR--- I'D LIKE TO HAVE A LOOK AT IT!
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